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S. VICE-CONSUL SHOT BY REJECTED GIRL

Young Woman Ends Life After Seriously Wounding Diplo- mat at Belgrade.

Belgrade, Jugoslavia, Dec. 5.—The American vice consul here, was shot and seriously wounded yesterday at his home by a young woman who afterwards committed suicide by jumping from the roof of her home.

The shooting occurred during an interview between Vice Consul Dayton and the woman, Anna Kovno. During the interview, Dayton is said to have told the young woman that their friendship must cease, whereupon she fired three revolver shots which entered the vice consul's back, and then committed suicide by jumping from the roof of her home.

The affair has caused a sensation in the diplomatic body and throughout the city.

The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The Department of State yesterday announced that Vice Consul Henry A. Dayton, who had been assigned to Belgrade, was being transferred to that city.

The vice consul was born in Atlanta, Ga., in 1897, and graduated from the Auburn (N. Y.) High School and from Hamilton College, N. Y.

He served in the army during the war and entered the consular service as a clerk in the Kovno consulate. He was promoted to vice consul at Kovno.

MILLIONAIRE ORPHAN DIES

His Fiancee Waits to Marry

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—The \$6,000,000 fortune of William McClinck, who has never been married, is likely to be divided among distant relatives of the family, as the result of the death yesterday of William McClinck, who held it just seven months before he died.

There are no relatives on the side of his father, who died in 1906, and only distant ones on the side of his mother, who died in 1903.

According to Attorney Alexander E. Schumann, joint guardian of the estate of William McClinck, known as the "millionaire orphan."

McClinck died while his fiancée, Miss Isabelle Pope of Wilmette, his schoolyard sweetheart, was waiting for him in the hospital. She was mentioned as a possible beneficiary under the will by the late William McClinck, who was married to her by a Mr. Hickling, who died shortly after his marriage. His will named William McClinck as beneficiary, and died shortly after.

McClinck was a member of the Chicago Athletic Club, and his son was the Chicago who died yesterday.

THEY WILL BE REMOVED; MAY FIND CAPT. KIDD'S GOLD

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—When the Rochester County Park Commission opened bids yesterday for the removal of the hill on the Hudson River, it announced that a contract stipulating that if any Captain Kidd's buried treasure was found, it was to be turned over to the commission.

They Hill was so named owing to a legend that somewhere within its depths a part of the treasure of the famous pirates was hidden. Residents thereabouts frequently have reported finding pieces and other coins of the treasure, but no effort ever was made to penetrate the hill.

There are about 25,000 cubic feet of the hill. It will be removed in the process of widening the highway, and the grade of the Alton road near Croton Point.

Robbers in Taxi Get \$6000.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Robbers who broke into the Berwyn Trust and Savings Bank in Berwyn, a suburb, and escaped with \$6000, the money was in a taxi.

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\$2,000,000 MORE ERRORS FOUND IN CITY TAX RECORDS

Audit of Books Will Add \$50,417 More to City Revenue, Making Total Recovery of \$137,277.

WOMAN'S INQUIRY LED TO EXPOSE

Investigation Disclosed Many Errors, Some In- tentional Erasures, Others Mistakes.

When a woman taxpayer called attention to a Collector's clerk a year ago to a change in the assessment of her property, a city hall scandal—discovery of deliberate and accidental erasures and errors in the assessment records—followed, and resulted in recovery of \$56,559.72 in taxes, whereupon an audit was undertaken. The audit, made public today, shows additional errors which mean \$50,417.33 more in taxes to be collected, a total of \$137,277.65.

The audit was made in conjunction with installation of a new system of control of assessment records by Grant-Fischer Co., accountants, and adds \$2,051,920 more to the assess. for 1934 and previous years, which had been left out due to the errors.

Disclosed Year Ago.

It was a year ago today that the Post-Dispatch disclosed the erasure scandal. A comparison of the Assessor's blotted records and tax books was undertaken at once by the Comptroller, and resulted in the addition of \$3,541,230 to the assessment for various years, and \$56,559 in taxes of which the community had been deprived.

The audit compared assessment plats held by the district assessors with other records, and thus uncovered the additional discrepancies. It does not show the underlying causes of the discrepancies. The total addition to the assessment through the Comptroller's check and the audit was \$5,593,150.

The Auditor's report was submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment today.

Figures of the audit are reported in three exhibits. Exhibit A lists hundreds of pieces of property on which the Assessor's books showed under-assessments for the current year, for which, therefore, tax bills not listing the full amounts due had been rendered. The mistakes were found in setting up the control system and in the assessment of property.

Values Increased in Audit.

The increased 1934 assessments in these cases amount to \$1,201,760. The property affected has been assessed at a total valuation of \$19,882,460, before the increase. The tax rate for 1934 being \$2.47 per \$100 valuation, the revenue increase through the audit in this group is \$29,682.47.

Real estate assessments omitted from tax books and tax bills for 1934 and prior years, as far back as 1912, involving the parcels of property comprise Exhibit B. The total of these assessments, now added to the records, is \$114,680, and the tax revenue to be derived from this group is \$2,051,920.

Under-assessment of 76 pieces of property prior to 1924 is shown in Exhibit C, listing an increase in assessments of \$2,545,450 and in tax revenue of \$12,923.93. Of this revenue, 11 of the errors were in 1923, four were in 1922 and one in 1921. Erasures found in the Comptroller's check had gone back even earlier than this.

Four Railroads Under-assessed.

The bulk of the taxpayers affected in the three exhibits of the audit are individuals, but there are a few associations and numerous companies, especially the latter in the list of 1924 under-assessments. In that list also four railroads are included.

Installation of the assessment control system, along with the audit, was authorized in an ordinance approved last March which appropriated \$50,000 for the work, of which \$32,000 has been spent.

Errors made by the Assessor's office through omission or commission in compilation of tax book and bills could not be discovered by the Comptroller under the former system of records, the audit report declares.

"In other words," it goes on, "the Comptroller had no control over the accuracy of the assessments made by the Assessor." The city charter gives the Comptroller, as head of the department of finance, certain supervisory power over the Assessor's office.

Under the new system, the auditor's report says, "an independent check is made by the Comptroller."

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TESTIMONY FOR DEFENSE BEGINS AT MOTLOW TRIAL

Governor of Tennessee Character Witness for Rich Distiller Who Shot Pullman Conductor.

DEFENDANT TO TESTIFY FOR SELF

Questions as to His Indict- ment in Liquor Case at First Admitted but Later Stricken Out.

Tennessee character witnesses for Lem Motlow, rich Tennessee distiller, on trial for the murder of Clarence T. Pullis, Pullman conductor, were asked upon cross-examination, in Judge Hamilton's Court this afternoon, whether they had ever heard of the indictment of Motlow for the surreptitious removal of whiskey from the Jack Daniel warehouse in St. Louis. Motlow was one of 17 persons indicted for his wholesale violation of the prohibition law.

Gov. Austin Peay of Tennessee was one of the character witnesses. He said he had known Motlow 20 years, and gave him the highest rating for good citizenship, peaceableness, honesty and kindness. This was his own observation of Motlow, and the opinion of others, he said.

On cross-examination, Assistant Circuit Attorney Johnston asked whether the Governor knew of Motlow's indictment in the Federal Court here in the Jack Daniel case. He spoke of the case as a robbery case, though it is rather a liquor law violation, as it is charged that the owners of the whiskey connived at the removal.

Gov. Peay said he had heard the indictment mentioned, and had read of it, but that it did not affect his opinion as to Motlow. "He is not the kind of man to be concerned in any theft," the Governor said. "No one in Middle Tennessee is better or more honest than the people there have the highest confidence in his integrity."

Dr. R. E. Fort of Nashville testified before the Governor, and his testimony was to the effect that his laudation of Motlow's character and reputation, and his reactions to the matter of the indictment, was pure Motlow would never have anything to do with any "theft."

The State closed its testimony at 3 p. m. The shooting of Pullis took place on an outboard L. & N. train the night of March 17 last. Motlow is to testify in his own behalf, and will make a plea of mixed self-defense and accident, the defense's contention being that he was resisting an attack by the negro porter when he shot the white conductor by mistake; and that he was not drunk, though he had been drinking.

Some employees of the Louisville & Nashville, who were subpoenaed as witnesses by both sides, probably will testify for the defense. The State decided not to use them, after it appeared that they were disposed to favor Motlow, a shipper of the Louisville & Nashville.

Negro Porter's Story.

The negro porter, Ed Wallis, who was the nearest witness of the shooting of Pullis, testified today. He said a struggle between himself and Motlow occurred, but only after Motlow had fired the first shot, which wounded Pullis. When Motlow, as the porter believed, was about to shoot him. A second shot was fired during the struggle. The porter said that Motlow "was drinking."

Passenger Testifies.

The porter's testimony followed that of Joseph Broida, the second passenger to appear as a witness. Broida said, as did the Rev. Clinton Cromwell, the first passenger testifying yesterday, that Motlow was intoxicated. He said also that he saw Motlow shoot Pullis when Pullis tried to quiet him, and that he saw no act of violence on the part of the porter before the shooting.

Wallis said he was 32 years old and had been a porter three years at the time of the shooting of Pullis. On that night, he said, while standing by the entrance of his car on the L. & N. 9:15 train, he saw Motlow approach, about \$40. He had seen Motlow before, and knew his name.

As Motlow started to enter the Pullman car, the porter asked him for a ticket and Motlow said he had no ticket. The porter said he directed Motlow back to the table, at the end of the car, near the gate, where the Pullman conductor and the train conductor were standing. The witness indicated the way, he said, Motlow "leaned on his elbow" on the conductor's table.

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DUCK SHOT WHERE IT WAS BANNED NEARLY YEAR AGO

Mallard Returns to Marais Temps Clair, Where It Is Brought Down.

A wild mallard duck banded on Feb. 25 last, by John Broeker at Marais temps Clair, near Portage des Sioux, Mo., was shot on the same marsh Nov. 27 by Horton Waddins, a St. Louis sportsman. Identification was established by a numbered aluminum band attached to the leg and carrying the number 232,661. These bands are furnished to licensed bird trappers by the U. S. Biological Survey, which is studying in this way the flight range of wild ducks and other birds. There has been but a single local instance of a wild duck banded in the Mississippi Valley ranging west of the Rocky Mountains, this being the case of a pintail banded at Marais temps Clair and shot in California.

In several years of this banding at Culver Island and Marais temps Clair for the Government there have been but a very few instances in which a duck was found by the method of return to the spot where it was banded. Jack Miner of Kingston, Ontario, who had been banding ducks and geese for years, found a young man he had banded yesterday returned uninjured from the migration to the South and back to Ontario. He had one hen mallard which made the round trip without injury for six consecutive years, taking a new brood with her each autumn.

STOCK EXCHANGE SEAT \$97,000

Membership of Late Henry Clews Sold at New Top Price.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Stock Exchange membership of the late Henry Clews was sold yesterday for \$97,000, an increase of \$1000 from the last preceding sale and a new top for the year. The seat, which was sold by the Clews estate, cost its buyer \$500 June 27, 1934, when it was bought. This was a profit of more than 19,000 per cent on the transaction.

Clews died in January, 1933. As a young man he held membership in the "Old Gold Board," predecessor of the New York Stock Exchange. When he died he was one of three of the oldest members of the exchange, and his opinion as to the purchase of the Clews seat.

RUNAWAY BRIDE IN NEW YORK

Wife of Chicago Millionaire in Seclusion in Hotel.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Dorothy Martin Hillman, whose flight from Chicago was punctuated with interruptions by police who attempted to stop her, under telegraphic instructions from her husband, a department store owner, was in seclusion today in the top floor of the Cumberland Hotel, Broadway and Fifty-fourth street.

Even her mother, Mrs. George W. Martin of Evanston, Ill., who arrived yesterday, could not penetrate the guard kept over the door of the bride of a month.

GILBERT'S SALARY IS \$47,500

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 5.—Seymour Parker Gilbert, as agent general for reparations payments under the Dawes plan, was given a salary of \$47,500 per year, or about \$4,750 under the scale of pay for the various Dawes plan officials approved by the Reparation Commission Nov. 28 and just made public.

The other salaries are: Railroad commissioner, 165,000 gold marks (\$26,250); bank commissioner, 95,000; other commissioners, 80,000. The various trustees will get 75,000 gold marks each. The members of the reparations committee, who meet once a month, are given 18,000 gold marks each and expenses.

PARTLY CLOUDY TONIGHT AND SATURDAY, SLIGHTLY COLDER

THE TEMPERATURES.

St. Louis	47	10 a. m.	50
Chicago	47	10 a. m.	50
St. Paul	47	10 a. m.	50
Minneapolis	47	10 a. m.	50
Des Moines	47	10 a. m.	50
Omaha	47	10 a. m.	50
Lincoln	47	10 a. m.	50
Sioux Falls	47	10 a. m.	50
Denver	47	10 a. m.	50
Portland	47	10 a. m.	50
Seattle	47	10 a. m.	50
San Francisco	47	10 a. m.	50
Los Angeles	47	10 a. m.	50
Honolulu	47	10 a. m.	50

Highest yesterday 54 at 7 p. m.; lowest, 43 at 5 a. m.

HOSE SHOALS ARE ON THEIR MUSCLE AGAIN

At the time that Mortimer received the \$15,000 from Thompson, he was told, he said, that it was being furnished by William D. Pratt of Kansas City. The Government today introduced a letter purporting to be from Pratt to Black, and dated Dec. 12, 1934, which time, according to the Government, the conspiracy had fallen to pieces, due to the Forbes-Mortimer feud and the attacks being made on the Veterans' Bureau administration in Washington. The letter ran:

"I have been waiting some word for a long while from either you or Mortimer, but it seems that the Government construction work is being delayed."

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JEWELER MISSING, CLAIMS OF ABOUT \$600,000 UNPAID; THREE CONCERNS "BROKE"

"FIXER" TELLS OF 'DOUBLE-CROSSING' ROW WITH FORBES

Testifies Veterans' Bureau Head Accused Him of 'Holding Out' on Thompson Money.

KANSAS CITY MAN BROUGHT INTO CASE

Witness in Conspiracy Trial Says W. D. Pratt Wanted His Money Back When the "Plot" Failed.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON, A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Testimony that Director Charles R. Forbes of the Veterans' Bureau, accused Elias H. Mortimer, the "fixer," of "holding out on him" was given by Mortimer today in the conspiracy trial of Forbes and John W. Thompson, St. Louis contractor. The accusation was made, the witness said, in connection with \$15,000 which Thompson had given him in the Drake Hotel, in Chicago, \$5000 of which he says he gave Forbes. Forbes claimed he had been cheated out of \$2500. Mortimer declared:

This quarrel, although it was smoothed over for the time, seemed to permeate the end of the intimacy between Forbes and the contractors' lobbyist, and to portend the bitter feud which was to arise between them later.

Earlier Mortimer had testified that Thompson took him into a bathroom in the Drake Hotel, in Chicago, and gave him \$10,000. He gave Forbes half of it, he said. The following day Thompson gave him \$5000 more, and Mortimer testified that he kept all of this for expenses on the Western tour which he and Forbes were making. At this time, it is charged, Black and Thompson were dicker for contracts from Forbes.

"He said and I said,"

RADIO RASH AFFLICTS EUROPE

Fifteen Years Imprisonment for Another After Summary Court Martial.

CAIRO, Dec. 5.—After a summary court martial at Khartoum, following the recent mutiny of the Sudanese battalion, four officers were sentenced to death and three of them were executed by shooting at dawn today.

The sentence of the fourth was commuted to 15 years' imprisonment.

BERLIN-HAWAII RADIO GREETING

Ebert Gets Answer to His Message In Six Seconds.

BERLIN, Dec. 5.—President Ebert yesterday opened the big wireless exhibition here by sending a message to Honolulu.

An acknowledgment of the message was received within six seconds.

That Office Desk

Has your husband a really good desk?

The right height; the right breadth; the right accommodation—capacious drawers; the right lock—so valuable papers will be safe.

If he hasn't, consider such a gift for his Christmas. He will appreciate a gift that reminds him every day of the giver.

For convenience in shopping, turn to the classified "Store and Office Fixtures" columns, where good desks at reasonable costs are listed.

The Post-Dispatch

St. Louis One Big Want Directory
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\$10,000 EACH FOR WORLD FLYERS AND PROMOTION PROPOSED IN CONGRESS

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The House world flyers would be promoted and each given \$10,000 reward and a Congressional medal of honor, under legislation introduced today by Representative Rathbone (Rep.), Illinois.

Lieuts. Wade, Nelson, Smith and Arnold would become Majors and Civilian Mechanic Harding and Sgt. Ogden First Lieutenants.

CASTRO, FORMER DICTATOR OF VENEZUELA, DIES IN EXILE

Success to Stomach Ailment in Porto Rico, Where He Had Resided.

By the Associated Press.

SAN JUAN, P. R., Dec. 5.—Cipriano Castro, former Venezuelan dictator, in exile here, died at midnight from hemorrhage of the stomach.

Gen. Castro, who was 66 years old, had resided here since 1916. He had been in ill health for years, but frequently was seen on the streets of San Juan, where he lived with his wife and several near relatives.

Gen. Castro, who was frequently alluded to as the "stormy petrel" of South America, was President of Venezuela from 1899 to 1908, when he started for Germany for an operation which the Venezuelan physicians were unwilling to perform.

When on ship off shore, Juan Vicente Gomez, whom Castro had left at the head of the Government, sent word to his former chief not to return and ordered the Castro family to leave Venezuela within 24 hours.

The family settled here, this causing Castro to make Porto Rico his home years later.

THREE OFFICERS IN MUTINY IN SUDAN PUT TO DEATH

Recently Divorced by Wife.

Uffland's wife, Mrs. Louise Uffland of 4907 West Pine boulevard, obtained a divorce two weeks ago for the grounds of general indignity, and as she was granted \$100 a month for the support of their child, born after the divorce petition was filed, Aug. 19, and \$150 a month allowance, she also would like to know what has become of him. At the time of the birth of their child, Mrs. Uffland testified at the divorce hearing, he left on a trip to New York and planned to go to Europe.

Concerns here affected by Uffland's operations are in a tragic mood. It has been a dull year for them, but it is now the Christmas season, most prosperous of all times in the jewelry business, and the desperate victims of what creditors believe to be a gigantic swindle despairingly gaze upon empty shelves.

PLIGHT OF ONE VICTIM.

Jack Trausa, three years from Poland, is one. He is president of the Trausa Jewelry Co., in the Commercial Building, Sixth and Olive streets. He was a bankrupt when a Post-Dispatch reporter saw him yesterday, but was thrown into it today.

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OPERATIONS OF JACOB W. UFLAND UNDER INQUIRY

He Disappeared Several Months Ago After Perpetrating Alleged Extensive Frauds in St. Louis.

HEADED FIRMS HERE AND IN NEW YORK

Creditors Holding His Accommodation Paper and Memorandums for Unreturned Goods.

Operations of Uffland today put the Trausa Jewelry Co., Commercial Building, into bankruptcy, and most likely will put two other small St. Louis wholesale jewelry dealers into bankruptcy within the next few days, according to New York representatives of the National Jewelers' Board of Trade, who have been here for a week investigating the situation and still other failures in other parts of the country, they said, may result from his operations.

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INDICTMENTS IN COUNTY AGAINST TWO GANGSTERS

"Jelly Roll" Hogan and One of His Henchmen Alleged to Have Intimidated Election Officials.

BASED ON INCIDENT OF AUGUST PRIMARY

Accused of Compelling Judges to Let an Ex-Convict, Illegally Registered, Vote at Luxemburg.

his apartment at Wardman Inn, and he said Pontiac could not be traced. Mortimer said, however, that he had been told that the cost of the trial would be \$150 to \$200 a day. "He told me that the army officers from the Quartermaster Department were making a lot of trouble for him, and that the newspapers were beginning to investigate and attack his administration."

"We've got to cover this up," he said. "We'll have to pay the penalty in order to reduce the risk of a trial. I'll manage to get some extra later, so they won't lose anything. But we won't lose anything. The army officers are saying that the way we are handling this matter is very regular. On the following day, nevertheless, Forbes gave Pontiac the job."

Forbes gave Pontiac the job, a few days later. Mortimer continued, that the army officers with Forbes over the \$15,000,000, were in New York.

The Superstructure. Some time in August Mortimer and Thompson discussed the situation. Mortimer said, and Thompson said he was very much interested in getting the contract for the superstructure of the Northern hospital, and he understood that Forbes proposed to have that award as he had handled the foundation contract; namely, by throwing out all the bids, and awarding the contract to the person—that is, to Black and Thompson.

Mortimer told then of the building of the superstructure, which was \$3,000,000 job, and on which the Government charges, gratis, on a grand scale was planned. On the day the bids were opened, Forbes told Thompson in Mortimer's presence, the latter testifies that all the bids exceeded the amount of the appropriation, and that, accordingly, he had to throw out all of them, and let Pontiac and the Fuller Construction Co. negotiate for the work on a basis of cost plus 10 percent.

"The situation was bad," Mortimer said, "on account of the fact that Forbes was preparing to resign." That statement was ordered stricken out. At the time of the session of the court, the trial was continued.

Through With "Graft." "Black told me that Forbes was a 'double crosser' and he was going to have nothing more to do with him," Mortimer testified when the afternoon session of the court opened. "Black told me to see the obtaining of the Chillicothe hospital plans from the Quartermaster's Department and to get them to him to prepare his report. He told me he was doing Government work in the regular way and was not going to pay any money graft. He told me to pay attention to the Pratt letter, which Black had made to his 'friends' (referring to Mortimer and Forbes)."

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"Most Expensive Dresser," Who Is Dead, and Her Young Husband



Mrs. E. H. Smith-Wilkinson. (With Husband in Insert.)

have the cash, he would accept their notes, due to 60 and 90 days, with a promise to extend the time if they did not have the cash at maturity. A lot of these notes are now falling due and Ulfand is not here to have them extended at banks, where, it has been discovered, he discounted them.

"Another strange thing about that man was this," Trauss went on. "He would send drummers to me and when I would not buy, he would say, 'Why don't you buy? I need the merchandise. You can't sell it, but I can sell it and I will give you 5 per cent net.'"

"Then I would say, 'Mr. Ulfand, I would rather go out of business than do business on a 5 per cent basis. I must have 15 per cent at least.' Then he would say, 'Well, let me have some stock on memorandum—you can't sell it—and I will give you 10 per cent.'"

"I thought it was strange he could sell it and I could not sell it, but I found out he was selling my customers my own goods at lower prices than I could sell it."

"MOST EXPENSIVELY DRESSED" WOMAN DIES

Mrs. Smith-Wilkinson Was Known Throughout Europe for Her Gowns.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Edward H. Smith-Wilkinson, the most expensively dressed woman in Europe, died in a London nursing home yesterday. She had been operated on at St. Thomas' Hospital a few days ago.

Without beauty, wit, knowledge, charm, connections or scandal, Mrs. Smith-Wilkinson attracted wide attention by sheer display in dress.

She had one gown, headed in diamonds, that was reported to be worth \$5,000. Some time after wearing this gown it became necessary for her to deny reports that she was in rather tight financial circumstances. However, her wardrobe and collection of Sevres and Dresden china vases and oil paintings were sold recently for a comparatively small sum.

Mrs. Smith-Wilkinson's journeyings about Europe were featured by an amount of luggage that would have been a credit to a royal court. She needed an entire room in which to hang her gowns and, on her arrival at a hotel, most of the staff was engaged to carry her baggage.

Mrs. Smith-Wilkinson inherited money from her first husband, when past 40 she married a young man about 20 years her junior, who left her, declaring that, while she moved in luxury, he was forced to do household tasks, even act as his wife's maid, and received only a few shillings a week for spending money. He became a dress designer at Liverpool, then a dancing teacher.

"When I left her," he declared recently, "she wrote saying she couldn't live without me. She offered me an extra dollar a week to return to her."

The Smith-Wilkinson home was in Nottingham, to which place she retired last September. Since then she had not been seen abroad often.

CHRISTMAS SALE TO BE HELD

A Christmas sale, card party and supper was given this afternoon and will be given this evening and Saturday afternoon and evening at the Rosati-Kahn High School, Lindell boulevard and Newstead avenue, in the interest of the library fund of the new Fontbonne college, Pennsylvania and Wydown avenues.

It is expected that \$10,000 will be raised. The library fund already amounts to \$10,000. A booklet will be distributed in which the history of the Sisterhood of St. Joseph is outlined.

WOMEN'S BOARD ELECTS

Legislative Committee Names Three

New Vice Presidents of the Missouri Women's Legislative Committee, composed of representatives of 21 women's organizations in the State, were elected by the organization yesterday. They are Mrs. A. Ross Hill, Kansas City, wife of the former president of Missouri University; Miss Nellie Lamm, Sedalia, daughter of former Judge Henry Lamm; and Mrs. William Ullman, Springfield, former State president of the Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Initiations to membership were extended to the State Conference of Social Welfare and the Council of Catholic Women.

CITY-WIDE DRIVE FOR "SMOKELESS FIRING" PLANNED

Apartment and Flat Owners to Be Instructed Through Films and Five-Minute Speeches.

Plans for a concerted educational campaign through motion pictures, 5-minute speeches and personal supervision, where desired, to instruct householders in the proper care of furnaces as a means of abating the smoke nuisance in St. Louis were outlined by Smoke Commissioner Karl and Director of Public Safety Christopher at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Committee on Smoke Regulation yesterday.

Commissioner Karl spoke briefly of the problems confronted by the new Smoke Department and said that while the program since he took office June 1 had been mainly one of "stop, look and listen" tactics to see what could be done and how the organization already had accomplished encouraging results in dealing with industries and railroads and was now ready to undertake the greatest task of all—that of reducing the black clouds which pour from the chimneys of apartments and flats. The householders, he declared, are the worst offenders of all and the hardest to reach.

He praised the railroads particularly for co-operation shown since the program of abatement was begun. Of the 150 switch engines of the Terminal Railroad Association, he said, more than half are now equipped with smoke burners and comparatively few complaints are now arising from that source. The brickyards, also, serious offenders at first, were said to be entering wholeheartedly into the campaign. Whenever a violation of the smoke ordinance is reported an inspector of the Smoke Department at once endeavors to find out the exact cause and determine the best method of remedying the evil. The offender is then informed of his transgression and instructed in methods of smokeless combustion. Such tactics, Karl declared, usually get results.

In arranging for a publicity campaign through films, which virtually all motion picture theaters in the city have agreed to exhibit free of charge, Karl said the department was confronted with an immediate need of \$3000 to pay for the manufacture of the films. An appropriation of this amount, he said, had been refused by the city. The films, six in number, are designed to demonstrate the effect of smoke on public health, on new buildings, on plant life, especially in Shaw's Garden, and on house decorations and curtains. They would be accompanied by slides instructing residents in methods of "smokeless firing" and advocating the use of small lump coal. Speakers will be furnished for organization meetings and individual instruction will be provided for janitors and

householders who desire demonstrations.

Director Christopher also made an appeal for co-operation of the public and predicted that the publicity program, if successful, would mean a reduction of 50 per cent in the city's smoke in a year. He declared the Department of Public Safety stood solidly behind Commissioner Karl, but called attention to the handicaps entailed by lack of funds.

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WOMAN'S WILL GIVING BULK OF ESTATE TO CHARITY UPHOLD

Judge Hall Takes Case Involving Three-Cornered Fight Over \$25,000 From Jury.

The three-cornered fight over the \$25,000 estate left by Mrs. Arrena Hart Pierson, aged widow who died on Aug. 16, 1923, was taken from the jury in Circuit Court today when Judge Hall ruled that the second of two disputed wills made by Mrs. Pierson shortly before her death should be regarded as valid.

The first of the wills was made on Aug. 11, 1923, while Mrs. Pierson was a patient in city hospital. In this instrument virtually the entire estate was left to Frank X. Wentura, of 419 Easton avenue, a friend of long standing. The next day she drew another will bequeathing \$5500 to a cemetery at Howard, Ill., and leaving the remainder to be disposed of among charitable institutions, with William A. Kinnerk, a lawyer, named as executor.

Upon her death, Wentura sought to have the second will declared valid, alleging undue influence by Kinnerk. Relatives of Mrs. Pierson then filed a contest against both wills, charging undue influence by both Wentura and Kinnerk and alleging further that she was of unsound mind when the instruments were drawn.

Judge Hall issued instructions for a verdict of the second will when evidence failed to substantiate either the charges of undue mind or undue influence.

HEAVY FINES ASSESSED

TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATORS

Judges Start Campaign Against Offenders When Two Are Fined \$100 and 75 Each.

A campaign of vigorous prosecution of traffic offenders, begun in the courts of Judges Homer and Matthews yesterday upon the Mayor's instructions, took definite form today when two men were fined \$75 and \$100 respectively for speeding. Herman Overton, of Jefferson Barracks, drew the \$75 in Judge Homer's court for driving at 40 miles an hour on Broadway, Nov. 15, and Eugene Hudson, a negro, of 4359 North Market street, was assessed \$100 and costs by Judge Matthews for driving 30 miles an hour. It was his second offense.

The Mayor's orders, calling upon the judges to tighten up on traffic law violators and also demanding that no "fixing" be tolerated, were issued at the request of a Safety Council Committee, which called upon him Monday and exhibited records of results accomplished in Detroit and Cleveland by Judges Bartlett and Corlett, respectively, through their policies of heavy fines and jail penalties for offenders. These records showed that during the terms of Judges Bartlett and Corlett automobile fatalities were reduced by half.

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PRESIDENT ON RETURN TRIP TO WASHINGTON

Chief Executive Traveling on Regular Train Through Indiana, Ohio and West Virginia.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

EN ROUTE TO WASHINGTON, WITH PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, Dec. 5.—President Coolidge is en route back to Washington today, after his visit to Chicago.

The route taken by the regular Baltimore & Ohio train, on which the President and Mrs. Coolidge traveled, took the executive through Akron, O.; Connellsville, Pa.; Cumberland, Md.; and Martinsburg, W. Va.

The train is due in Washington at 8 o'clock tonight.

Why He Rode in Pullman. By the Associated Press.

Why the President went to Chicago in an ordinary Pullman car instead of on a special train as Presidents usually travel, has come to light in a tale of New England shrewdness related by a White House attaché, who accompanied the executive.

The President from the first had refused a special train, costing some \$1700, but was willing to take a special car, until railroad officials started dicker over the expense, the story goes.

"The cost will be \$90 a day for the private car and an additional charge of 25 cents a railroad representative informed the White House.

The President saw no objection to the \$90 a day, but he inquired, how many persons could be carried on a private car?

When he learned that only 10 persons could be carried, although 25 fares were wanted, he put his foot down on the proposition.

"We'll pay no railroad 15 extra fares when the 15 extra persons can't be carried on the car paid for by the proposition."

Visited Stock Show. President Coolidge visited the International Livestock, Hay and Grain show in Chicago yesterday and inspected exhibits of the finest products of American agriculture.

The President and Mrs. Coolidge examined the blocks of prize-winning entries from every state, amid the cheers of prairie stockman, cattle buyers and a host of city folk.

Arriving at the exposition just after dusk after a five-mile drive through cheering throngs, the President and Mrs. Coolidge and the members of their party were taken first to the car lot exhibits in the cattle yards. They made their way among the pens over the regular visitors' runways, then stopped at the Model Meat Shop, the Boys' and Girls' Club and finally passed between rows of steam-heated stalls for the individual prize exhibits.

The best in American slaughtering and breeding cattle, sheep and hogs were pointed out to Mr. Coolidge as he made his way through a crowd that oftentimes almost swept aside the police. He asked

STEFANSSON TO LECTURE ON ARCTIC REGIONS HERE TONIGHT

Noted Explorer Will Talk on Natural Resources in Far North.

Vilhjalmur Stefansson, noted Arctic explorer, scientist and lecturer, will deliver a lecture at The Principia, 5539 Page boulevard, at 8:15 this evening, on his experiences in the North and the natural resources of the Arctic regions.

Two years ago Stefansson announced his abandonment of his career as an explorer to devote his efforts to proving to a skeptical world that within a decade or two the North polar ocean will be crossed by a network of aviation routes and that the regions, hitherto known only as mysterious, uninhabitable lands, will be the source of developed resources unlimited in magnitude. At that time he declared the popular attitude toward the unexplored regions beyond the horizon—the terrors in both cases being largely those of imagination.

"If you want the truth," he has repeatedly stated, "assume the opposite of a dozen or more things you have always accepted as facts about the Far North."

frequently questions, showing, according to his guides, that he had not forgotten the days of the farm in New England.

While he was being entertained at dinner by the exposition officials, Mrs. Coolidge was the guest of honor at another dinner given at the Saddle and Sirlin Club.

Mrs. Coolidge was entertained also at the Congress Hotel at a luncheon given by the Illinois Republican Women's Club, under the direction of the Women's Roosevelt Club of Chicago. About 1200 of the leading Republican women of the State attended. Mrs. McNeill McCormick and Mrs. Charles S. Deneen, wives respectively of retiring and new Senators from Illinois, were on Mrs. Coolidge's right, while several of the women legislators recently elected were at the speakers' table.

After reviewing a procession of the Blue Ribbon winners in the Horse Show last night, the presidential party left the amphitheater amid the applause of throngs and was driven through a driving rain to three Pullman cars on a cattle spur at the edge of the stockyards. The cars were picked up by the regular train for Washington a few minutes later.

Called Up Daves. Before leaving his hotel in the afternoon, President Coolidge phoned Vice President-elect Dawes at his Evanston home to greet him, and express his wish for Dawes' quick return to normal routine. Mr. Dawes still is confined to his home convalescing from his recent operation.

President Coolidge was an interested spectator as the landing 250 years ago of Pere Marquette on the north bank of the Chicago River was re-enacted yesterday. The cabin erected by the Jesuit missionaries had been reproduced in the square before the Wrigley Building, the site of Chicago's first building. Twelve canoes came down the river from Lake Michigan. Its occupants, a handful of white explorers and 4 party of Indians, landed at the Wrigley Building and proceeded to the cabin. There the party was officially received by President Coolidge and city officials.

ALIMONY CUT SOUGHT BY W. G. O'FALLON

His Financial Embarrassment Disclosed to Judge Oasing in Presenting Motion.

In an effort to show William Glasgow O'Fallon of 4905 Argyle place cannot afford to pay \$400 a month alimony to his former wife, his financial embarrassment was disclosed to Judge Oasing in the Court of Domestic Relations today.

The disclosure was made by his attorney, Thomas Pierce, in presenting a motion for reduction of the alimony from \$400 to \$200. By a trust agreement entered into at the time Mrs. Cora South Brown O'Fallon obtained the divorce in April, 1922, O'Fallon agreed to pay \$200, but later that year she went in court and had it increased to \$400.

Has Resigned Position. At the time of the divorce, O'Fallon was earning \$500 a month as purchasing agent for the Terminal Railroad Association, his attorney said, but ill health forced him to resign that position last November. Since then he has occupied desk space with a local real estate firm, and has earned in the last year \$2235.

From this \$200 of the monthly alimony must be paid.

Two notes, for \$15,000 and \$5000, were owed by O'Fallon in 1922, but since then the \$5000 note has been paid out of \$6000 received by O'Fallon as his one-sixth share of the proceeds of the sale of his grandfather's home in Portland place.

Schooling of Children. Besides paying alimony, O'Fallon has been attempting to send his two children to the Country Day School, buy their clothing and pay their doctors' bills. As a matter of economy, one child has been sent to a less expensive school and the tuition of the other is being paid by Mrs. O'Fallon, the court was informed.

Attorney Pierce offered an itemized list of household goods and jewelry which, he said, O'Fallon turned over to his wife at their divorce. The household goods were valued at approximately \$7000, and the jewelry included the following: Diamond bracelet, \$12,500; diamond bare pin, \$2500; bracelet, \$1350; diamond solitaire ring, \$2000; diamond and platinum wrist watch, \$1000; earrings, \$550; two rings, \$500 each; cigarette case, \$400; gold meshing, \$450; gold dorian, \$175; cigarette holder, \$35; and lipstick holder, \$25.

O'Fallon, according to Pierce, also had to pay bills in St. Louis and New York for \$12,000 worth of merchandise, including jewelry.

Arguments on the motion by Pierce and George Priest, attorney for Mrs. O'Fallon, started in open court and were completed in the Judge's chambers. Judge Oasing took the motion under advisement. O'Fallon was married on Feb. 23 last to Miss Catherine Newton Spencer of Washington, D. C. It was his third marriage.

Auditing Committee Organized. JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 5.—The legislative auditing committee, appointed recently by Gov. Hyde to audit the accounts of all departments, met here today to organize.

THE CHRISTMAS GIFT STORE FOR MEN



Our store for men becomes a shop for women

WE'VE made special plans to help women shoppers during the holiday season; you'll find our salesmen eager to co-operate

It's always been better to buy men's gifts at a men's store; now it's easier, as well.

MEN'S FINER WEARING APPAREL

WOLFF'S

Broadway and Washington

GILFILLAN NEUTRODYNE

"What a lovely tone this set has"

THE clear true tone of the Gilfillan Neutrodyne brings out the finer shades of musical reproduction. With the aid of the finding chart anyone can tune in quickly without howls or squeals. Distant and difficult stations are easily brought in even while locals are playing.

We invite a comparison of the workmanship and performance of these sets with any others. Their excellence is due to the years of experience in the manufacture of radio equipment.

See and Hear Them at Your Dealer's

GILFILLAN BROS. INC.

1815 W. 16th St., LOS ANGELES

Factory Branch 2325 W. Penn Way KANSAS CITY

NEW YORK CITY

Pure Wool Sweaters
\$6.95 to \$10.00

Heavy all virgin wool shaker and rope knit sweaters, the kind with the large desirable collars in wanted colors.

We specialize in imported English Broadcloth Shirts at \$1.95, 3 for \$5.50.

We pack each article in a beautiful Christmas box.

RUDOLPH STULZ
BROADWAY AT FIVE

Rogers
976 PAIRS
Women's and Misses' LOW SHOES

ALMOST GIVEN AWAY Saturday Only
\$1.00

All Leathers, All Styles, All Sizes, All Widths.

Worth \$4, \$5 and \$6 Every Pair Perfect

1172 pairs of women's Felt Slippers, all the new wanted colors, sizes 3 to 8, \$1.50 value.

59c

CHRISTMAS STATIONERY
BUXTON & SKINNER
FOURTH NEAR OLIVE

The quickest way to get home or office help — through a Post-Dispatch Want ad.

SONNENFELD'S
610 to 618 Washington Avenue

FEATURED FOR SATURDAY IN
OUR FOOTWEAR SHOP

"D'Orsay" Pumps
\$6.50

BROWN VELVET APRICOT KID

Tan Calf Oxfords
CREASED VAMP

\$8

WELT SOLES RUBBER HEELS

Whether worn for sports or general utility wear, madam or miss will find this model as attractive as it is comfortable. It is very moderately priced at \$8.

Novelty Sport Wool Hose
Specially Priced at . . .

Specially featured are these smartly designed Hose in various foreign patterns, strongly woven of fine quality wool to insure durability. Attractive colors.

(Hosiery Shop—First Floor.)

COOLIDGE'S MESSAGE ANGERS SOUTHERNERS

They See in Reference to Negro an Indorsement of Lodge's Force Bill.

Post-Dispatch Bureau.
20-23 Wyatt Building.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Southern Senators and Representatives are becoming more and more irate over the interpretation they read into President Coolidge's reference to the negro in his message to Congress.

Hints have come from administration sources that the President meant to indicate his support of the famous force bill that the late Senator Lodge of Massachusetts championed in earlier days. It was this bill, calling for Federal supervision of the polls and potentially the use of Federal troops to see that the negro was not kept away from the ballot box in the South, that so inflamed many Southerners that they never forgave Lodge.

Lodge's first big fight in Congress was made on this measure, which went down finally under the bitterest kind of assault. But whether Mr. Coolidge really intended to revive this issue, or whether he desired to gratify various negro forces that aided him in the election are questions nobody is able to answer.

"I firmly believe," said the Coolidge message, "that it is better for all concerned that they (the negroes) should be protected from all of these impositions to which, from their position, they naturally fall a prey, especially the crime of lynching."

It was this phrase that was taken by the Southerner to mean indorsement of the Force bill, although the prevalent opinion is that Mr. Coolidge's purpose was political rather than a serious effort to sponsor such legislation.

Mr. Coolidge's message was taken to indorse the anti-lynching bill as well as more drastic legislation. That his purpose, however, was to appease the negroes without really intending to act is deduced from the fact that no legislation is in view to realize the aspirations the President expressed.

Also, administration Senators admit no such legislation will be attempted seriously. None could possibly get into the hopper this session without blockading the supply bill. It may be tried later before the by-elections, but only as a political gesture.

The point on which Southern Democratic hostility rises to its greatest heat is the charge that Mr. Coolidge played with the Ku Klux Klan all the way before election and harbored no such kindly sentiments for the negro until election day had passed and it became politically safe to do so.

A GIFT CERTIFICATE—A WELCOME REMEMBRANCE

"Give Her Something She Can Wear"

SONNENFELD'S
610 to 618 Washington Avenue

Silken Underthings Foretell Christmas

In Colors and Designs to Delight Every Feminine Fancy

\$1.95 \$2.95 \$3.95 \$4.95 to \$35

Every woman secretly hopes that her Christmas bounties will include a generous share of dainty silken underthings. And here selection is made simple by the abundant display of styles ranging from frivolous, colorful conceits to sturdy, conservative, tailored garments with a price range to suit your purse. Included are Gowns, Envelope Chemises, Step-Ins, Pajamas.

Glove Silk Underwear
\$1.95 to \$7.95

Vests and Bloomers, in plain tailored styles or daintily trimmed, in matching pieces.

Boudoir Caps, 75c to \$3.95

Silk Petticoats and Slips, \$2.95 to \$7.95

In the popular costume shades, with pleated and novelty flounces, or in plain tailored styles.

Bloomers of Silk Jersey
\$2.95 to \$7.95

In rich colors suitable for Winter, with various fancy cuffs and novelty cuff designs.

Fanciful Garters, 65c to \$2.95

(Lingerie Shop—First Floor.)



A Corduroy Robe

Will Bring Cheer on Frosty Mornings

\$2.95 to \$5.00



And even as early as November, so great was the demand for these splendid Robes for Christmas gifts, that we have made ready for Christmas shoppers by the purchase of 2000 beautiful new Robes in several attractive styles. Plain or brocaded, they come in all the new colors.

(Negligee Shop—First Floor.)

The Peaked Crown Wins New Favor

In the Chapeaux de Luxe Shop

\$10



The Pierrot or Tyrolean crown appears in brightest hues in silks, satins and bengalines, and wears on or very near its peak, ribbon, feather, flower or fur.

So authentic is the forecast of the popularity of this mode, that you will wish to be among the first to wear it, as, sooner or later, everyone is sure to succumb to its irresistible appeal of chic and jauntiness. It is featured in the Chapeaux de Luxe Shop, where splendid values are always offered at \$10.

(Chapeaux de Luxe Shop—First Floor.)

Misses' Winter Coats

\$59 to \$195

Youthful Styles and Small Sizes Make Selection for Misses and Small Women One of Satisfaction to an Unusual Degree



Newest Fabrics Are Used in Rich Becoming Shades, the Finest Furs Lending Adornment in Modes That are Flattering and Luxurious

Unusual Savings in
Fur-Trimmed Coats
\$36

Women who appreciate values will take great delight in the splendid Coats in this most unusual group. Fabrics, furs, quality of workmanship and styling are most acceptable in every way.

(Coat Shop—Third Floor.)

Misses' Frocks

\$25 to \$95

Frocks That Fulfill the Desire in Misses' Hearts to Look Their Best During the Holiday Festivities



Daytime, Afternoon, Country, Outing, Dinner, Dance and Formal Ball Are All Provided For in Myriad Attractive Styles

(Dress Shop—Fourth Floor.)

MORNING SPECIAL—9 TO 12

Silk & Cloth Dresses
\$11

All are this season's styles and are reduced from much higher prices. Truly an exceptional opportunity to secure an "extra" Frock for street, sport or afternoon wear.

Sizes for Women and Misses

(Dress Shop—Fourth Floor.)

A Sheer Negligee

Appeals Strongly to Feminine Fancy

\$10 to \$39.75

Slipover styles with trailing sleeves, for all the world like evening gowns; brocaded satins with marabou and ostrich trimming; soft clinging crepe de chine; every type imaginable.

Quilted Robes
\$10 to \$25

In plain or brocaded satin or silk crepe; some lace trimmed.

(Negligee Shop—First Floor.)



Peter Pan Felt Hats, \$4.95



The perky tip-top trim that claims the limelight in millinery modes, is most becoming on peaked felt shapes. Cranberry and lipstick red, black, henna and soft shades of brown, in fact every color is shown that is popular for smart sport wear.

(Popular Price Sport Hat Shop—First Floor.)

A Gift Posy

—that will not fade, will add a happy note of color to her coat or frock.

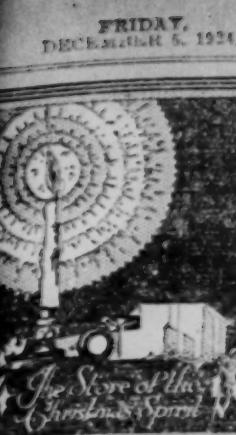
Gardenias in white and colors, special, 39c and 65c. Corsages, Roses, Orchids, etc., 25c up to \$4.98.

(Trimming Shop—First Floor.)

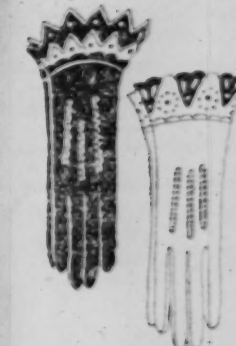
Gift Hosiery

A box of Beverly chiffon silk-top Hose—an always welcome gift. From among the newest shades you can select three delightful colors, say gunmetal, tanbark, freckles, and you effect a decided economy by the purchase of three pairs at \$5.50.

(Hosiery Shop—First Floor.)



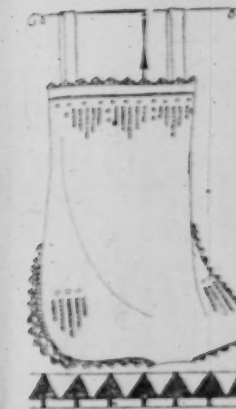
Smart Kid Gauntlets



Misses' Gauntlets At \$2.50 Pair

African capeskin, of the best quality, in a strap wrist Gauntlet with gored cuff. Heavy two-toned embroidered backs. Brown, beaver and tan.

Handmade Envelope



Hosiery

THE gift shopper finds problems in the hosiery department are unusually complete popular offerings are:

Chiffon Hose

Our "No. 1000," full-fa silk, sheer and fine and for their wearing qualities garter stripe and patent colors.

"Ruby Ring"

Thread silk Hose of set and with mercerized lisle heels and "Ruby Ring" colors.

Special Quilted

These Hose have won a service. Woven of three fine gauge; mercerized lisle spliced heels. Black and

An Unusual Chic W



Special Women's



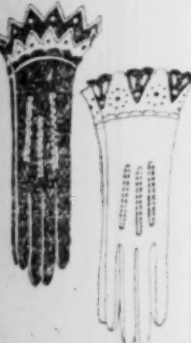
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STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Gifts of Beauty and Service Can Be Selected Here

Smart Novelty Kid Gauntlets, \$3.95



A DECIDEDLY new fashion note appears in these Gloves of real kid, with novelty French cuffs and fancy two-tone embroidered backs. They are pique sewn, and fasten at the wrist with one clasp. In black, brown, beaver and gray—a particularly happy choice for a Christmas gift.



Misses' Gauntlets
At \$2.50 Pair

Simplex Gauntlets
At \$1.50

African capeskin, of the best quality, in a strap-wrist Gauntlet with gored cuff. Heavy two-tone, embroidered backs. Brown, beaver and tan. (Main Floor.)

Handmade Silk Envelope Chemise, \$5.95



SATURDAY'S Christmas shopper will find great delight in this new assortment of Silk Envelope Chemises, made by hand, and adorned with hand embroidery and drawn-work. The variety of styles is unusually attractive—each one lovelier than the other. Some are finished with real filet lace edge, others with a hand-drawn hem. Flesh, orchid and peach; sizes 36 to 44.

Boudoir Caps of satin and crepe de chine, beautifully trimmed, all in gift boxes. \$1 to \$2.95 (Second Floor.)

Hosiery for Gifts

THE gift shopper finds a ready answer to her problems in the Hosiery Department, where offerings are unusually complete and prices are low. Three popular offerings are:

Chiffon Hose at \$2.50

Our "No. 1000," full-fashioned Hose of pure thread silk, sheer and fine and even in weave, and guaranteed for their wearing qualities. Made with Persian stop-run garter stripe and patented foot. Black and favored colors.

"Ruby Ring" Hose, \$1.95

Thread silk Hose of service weight, full fashioned and with mercerized lisle tops, double soles, high-spliced heels and "Ruby Ring" stop-run feature. Black and colors.

Special Quality at \$1.65

These Hose have won an enviable reputation for good service. Woven of thread silk, clear and even and of fine gauge; mercerized lisle tops, double soles and high-spliced heels. Black and popular colors. (Main Floor.)

An Unusual Offering of Chic Winter Hats

\$5 to \$10



FAILLE silk, felt, taffeta and satin Hats in becoming models are offered in their latest interpretations at these remarkably low prices. Many styles, including the new high crowns of various dimensions, and trims atop, are shown. All the wanted millinery shades; also black and brown. (Third Floor.)

Special Selling of Women's Footwear

\$5.95



DISCONTINUED styles in women's novelty Footwear have been selected from our regular stocks and marked at a greatly reduced price for this selling. There is a very great variety of styles for selection, in fabrics and colors of the moment. All sizes are included in the assortment as a whole, but not in every style. (Main Floor.)

Practical Gifts
in Our

Jaunty Junior Section

Middy and
Overblouses
\$1.50 to \$3.95

Jack Tar, Bill Sims and Man o' War makes in tan, white and combinations. Sizes 10 to 20 years.

Girls' Raincoats
\$1.95 to \$3.95

Made of rubberized cotton sateen with plaid silk hood. Brown, navy and red. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Clever Frocks
\$15.75 to \$25

Sports and dressy styles, in plaids, checks, charmeen, velveteen; some with stiff linen collar and cuffs. Sizes 12 to 17 years. Grouped for gift selection.

School Coats
\$7.95

Made of all-wool polar, with seacote collars; lined throughout. Sizes 7 to 12 years. Others, too, at \$15.75, \$19.75 and \$35. Sizes 12 to 16 years, \$35. (Junior Section—Third Floor.)



Thrift Avenue The Buy-Way of St. Louis

Mama Dolls, \$3.98

Pretty Dolls, with clear voice, completely and curled wig. Completely dressed.

Christmas Wreaths

Of red friz decorated with silver pine.

6-inch size, each, 10c

8-inch size, each, 15c

10-inch size, each, 35c

12-inch size, each, 55c

Footwear, \$2.19 Pair

Children's Footwear, in tan or mahogany, smoked elk, patent leather and patent leather with kid top; all sizes 1 to 12.

Gauntlets, 69c Pair

Children's leather Gauntlets with warm fleece lining; tan and brown; plain and insignia cuffs; slight seconds.

Men's Slippers, \$1.39

High-grade felt Slippers in Everett style with buckskin outer soles and soft cushion insoles; come in blue, brown and dark green; trimmed with contrasting Scotch checked collars; sizes 6 to 12.

Torchers, 79c Each

Made of composition with parchment paper cylinder in yellow and red tints; decorated with dancing girl silhouette.

Artificial Flowers, 10c

Asters, cosmos, mums, Fall foliage, poppies, jonquils and many others.

Stationery, 39c Box

Gift boxes with good grade linen-finish writing paper.

Pencil Boxes, 19c

Jackie Coogan metal Pencil Box Sets, consisting of pencils and pen.

Christmas Cards, 35c

Packet of 15 embossed and engraved Christmas Cards with envelopes. (Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)



An Unusual Sale of Misses' Daytime Frocks \$28

THESE Frocks have been assembled at a price that presents real savings. They include some of our smartest models for misses and reflect that uniqueness of fashioning most eagerly sought by the youthful purchaser. Materials so interestingly various as crepe satin, charmeen, Lornella, striped faille and others are here employed to interesting advantage in shades most favored this winter. Sizes 14 to 18 years.

Misses' Winter Coats, \$44 to \$64

Large groups of delightfully youthful Coats made of soft Winter materials with lovely furs cleverly applied are here presented in this season's cleverest styling. The newest shades are featured. Sizes 14 to 18 years.

Important Reductions on High-Grade Misses' Afternoon and Party Frocks

Reductions which usually come later in the year, have been made now and offer an opportunity of unlimited advantage to the Christmas shopper. This offering features imports and copies of imports exquisitely modeled at **1/4 off**

Coat-and-Hat Sets, \$8.95

For Little Boys and Girls

A PRACTICAL gift for a tiny tot is a Set that includes Coat and Hat to match, made of chinchilla. The Coats are smart in flare and belted styles, those for boys having inverted plait back, raglan sleeves and pockets. The Hats are in tam and polo styles. In an attractive shade of tan. Sizes 1 to 3 years.

Jersey Panta Frocks, \$3.95

With bloomers to match, these Frocks of wool jersey, or of serge in cotton-and-wool mixture, are excellent for Winter wearing. They are attractively trimmed with stitching in a contrasting color. Sizes 3 to 6 years. (Second Floor.)



Come to Toytown

JOLLY old Santa Claus and his wee brownies extend a welcome to all good little boys and girls—visit them in Fairyland. Santa, himself, gives the kiddies a surprise package when they purchase a 25c gift ticket.



Attractions for Saturday

Doll Furniture, \$2.69

A most attractive Set of Doll Furniture is fashioned of reed. Set has two arm-chairs, a table, and a settee.

Electric Trains, \$15.50

"Lionel" Electric Train has reversible motor, pullman, and observation car, both illuminated, and equipped with automatic couplers; 11 sections of track form an oval 42x56.

Jointed Dolls, \$4.98

Doll Beds, \$2.49

Oak Rockers, \$1.98

Coaster Wagons, \$5.95

Child's Chairs, \$1.69

China Tea Sets, \$1.00

Roll-Top Oak Desks, \$11.95

Well made oak Desk has large drawer and pigeon holes for correspondence. Complete with chair at this price.

Dump Trucks, \$5.95

"Buddy L" Dump Truck is a very substantially built toy. Finished in black, trimmed in red.

Toy Drums, 35c

Picture Cubes, \$2.49

Mechanical Trains, \$3.49

Games, 89c

Tenpins, 98c

Steam Engines, \$2.98 (Fifth Floor.)

1000 Hand-Painted Compacts, \$1.00 each

HAND-PAINTED designs, in effective color combinations decorate these Compacts; a small link finger chain adds a finishing touch and makes them easy to carry. Completely fitted with powder, rouge and large mirror. A gift that is at once attractive and inexpensive.



Sterling Silver
Compacts
\$3.75 to \$6

Single and double styles, in round and octagon shapes, with designs in hammered and engine-turned effects. A black silk cord handle and tassel add an effective finish. With powder, or rouge and powder, and large mirror.

Compacts From
Vienna, \$2.95

A lovely bit of petit point surrounds itself with a circle of coral, jade, or red galalith in a new Compact that is fitted with finger chain ring, and has a place for powder and rouge. (Main Floor.)

Wrist Watches, \$6.95

CUSHION, octagon and tonneau shapes with fancy bezel and silver dial, fitted with reliable jeweled movement. Each carries the Stix, Baer & Fuller guarantee for service, and come in a gift case.



Diamond Solitaire, \$45

A brilliant single diamond in a mounting of 18-k. white gold, in filigree design, set with two triangular sapphires. (Main Floor.)

Beaded Bags, \$5.00

THEIR attractive style and artistic coloring make them an excellent choice for Christmas gifts. Handmade, and mounted on filigree frames, they offer an unusually interesting choice of design and color. Each Bag is silk lined in a harmonizing shade.



Toilet Articles

Gift Offerings for Saturday

Melba Combination Set, containing Fleurs toilet water and silver-plated compact, in lined box, \$2.25
Lounay Toilet Water; odors—Lilac, Rose, Fleur Mignon, Qui Sait, and Fleur Vivant; in gift boxes, \$1.00
Hudnut's Combination Set; toilet water, face powder, and talcum; in Violet Sec odor; in neat boxes, \$1.75
Hudnut's Toilet Water; odors—Lilac, Rose of Omar, Violet Sec, Extreme Violet, Lily of the Valley, Gardenia, and Yankee Clover; in gift boxes, \$1.00
Melba Toilet Water; odors—Rose, Lily, Violet, Bouquet, Lov-Me, and Honeysuckle; in boxes, \$1.00
Hudnut's Toilet Waters; odors—Jasmine, Soul of Violet, Narcisse, and Three Flowers, \$1.50
Shaving Set, nickel plated, with shaving cup and brush, and mirror, 75c
Melba Manicure Sets; cuticle remover, nail white, nail cake, nail polish, file, and orangewood sticks, \$1.25
Larger Set, in lined box, with buffer, \$2.50 (Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Gift Selection of Wool Scarfs, \$7.50

HANDMADE Novelty Scarfs, knitted of pure wool yarn, in numerous high colors.

Pure Silk Scarfs, \$8.50

Striped in most effective color combinations.

Fiber Scarfs \$10

Imported Scarfs, handmade; attractively patterned; excellent range of colors.

Lace-Wool Scarfs, \$3.98

Handmade Lace-Wool Scarfs in light color combinations.

We have a complete variety of lace wool, novelty wool, pure silk and fiber imported Scarfs moderately priced. (Main Floor.)



Library Clocks, \$9.95

MAHOGANY FINISHED 8-day Clocks, 20 inches long and 10 inches high, are offered in the popular Tambour shape. They are American made and have hour and half-hour cathedral gong; guaranteed. An offering of unusual interest to Saturday's gift shopper. (Main Floor.)



Only 16 More Shopping Days Until Xmas, and Nugents the Best Place to Buy

Women's
Silk Chiffon
HoseFull-fashioned all-silk
Chiffon Hosiery in plain
and clocked. Very sheer
quality. In black and
wanted shades. Sizes
8 1/2 to 10.

\$3 \$4 \$4.50

and \$5

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Toilet Goods Specials

\$6.00 Ivory-White Clocks—Guaranteed
American movement \$4.95
\$2.00 Piver's Perfume—Original bottles,
Azura, Le Trefle and Floramy odors, \$1.75
\$3.00 Ivory-White Jewel Box \$2.25
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Nugents
The Store for ALL the People

Toilet Goods Specials

\$3.00 Vivadou's Pour La France Toilet
Water—Large size of the wonderful French
odor, individually boxed \$1.19
\$1.75 Shaving Stand—Complete with
brush and cup 95c
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Women's
Service-Weight
HoseFull-fashioned, service-
weight Hose with high
elastic top. In black and
all wanted shades. Sizes
8 1/2 to 10.

\$1.50 and \$2

Women's Sport Hose
Silk and fiber-ribbed Sport
Hose in semi-finished
style. In black, beige,
champagne and log cabin.
All sizes 8 1/2 to 10 \$1.00
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

DECEMBER JUBILEE WEEK

Choose
From
Almost
100
StylesAll Sizes
and
Colors
in This
Sale

Jubilee

COAT SALE

Not in recent years has a Coat Sale in this store met with such
general approval as this one. The women and misses of St. Louis
were loud in their praise of this event. They could hardly conceive
how such well made Coats, excellent materials, luxurious furs, could
be offered at such a low price.

One woman said, "Why my sister paid almost as much as
this sale price for a squirrel collar the other day."

Yes, there are beautiful collars of squirrel or collar and
cuff sets of manchurian wolf, marmot, marmink.

Silk Crepe or Satin de Chine Lined.

Materials:

Bolivia
Ormandale
Velva Suede
Sport Fabrics
Tuvonnet
Excello Suedette

Colors:

Black Brown
Navy Penny
Saddle Deer
Cranberry
Mocha Green

\$33

Sizes 16 to 42—44 to 52.

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

GIFTS Just
for Men

\$1.95 English Broadcloth Shirts

Men's plain white, neckband,
English broadcloth Shirts, French
cut style. Sizes 15 1/2 to 17. Some
collar attached in tan
and white. Sizes 15 to
17 in the lot. Jubilee
Price, 3 for \$1 or

\$4.00 Emery Shirts
French corded woven stripe ma-
dras Shirts "Emery" brand. French
cuffs and collars to match. \$3.50
Size 14 to 15 1/2

\$4.95 and \$5.95 Bathrobes

Men's Lawrence Blanket Robe,
button-to-neck style; two pockets
and cord to match;
size small and me-
dium, Jubilee
Price, \$3.98

\$6.95 and \$7.95 Bathrobes
Beacon and other materials,
shawl collar and button-to-neck
style; braid trimmed around neck,
sleeves and edges; beautiful
patterns to select from; \$5.98
Jubilee Price

\$8.95 and \$9.95 Bathrobes
Men's Edmonds Blanket Bath-
robe, shawl collar, braid trimmed
two pockets, cord to match; new
patterns to select from. Jubilee
Price, \$7.98

Cut Silk and Silk-and-Wool Ties

Men's open and cut silk and
silk-and-wool Ties, slip-on
band. A Christmas box with
every Tie. A won-
derful assortment to
select from. Jubilee
Price, \$1.00

Fiber Knit Ties
Men's fiber knit Neckwear, narrow
and wide styles, in a big assortment
of patterns. \$3 for \$1.00

Other fine Neckwear for holiday
gifts from \$1.50 to \$3, all in fancy box

Fiber and Wool Mufflers

Men's fiber Mufflers in
plain and fancy jerseys, knit,
fringed edge on solid black
and colors. The wool Muf-
fler in fancy plaid combi-
nation. All packed in separate
boxes. Jubilee Price \$2.50

Fiber Mufflers
Men's fancy fiber Mufflers
in gray, white, brown and
black. Every one packed
separate boxes. Jubilee
Price \$1.45

Flannelette Pajamas
Men's two-piece cotton flanne-
lette Pajamas in striped de-
signs, Frog trimmed. \$2.50
All sizes, A to D.

Thread Silk Hose

Silk Hose, lisle top, heel and toe.
In black, white, cor-
dovan, gray and navy.
All first quality. Sizes
9 1/2 to 11 1/2 50c

Men's Fancy Hose

Fancy silk-and-wool Hose, in black
and colors. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2 \$1.00

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Garter and Armband Sets

Single grip, narrow and
wide web garters, of fine
quality elastic. Elastic Arm
bands to match. 50c * 75c
In Christmas box

Men's Mufflers

Fiber Mufflers with stripe
or self color, in open work,
silk-fringed ends;
assorted colors. Price, \$1.95

Belt and Buckle Set
Hickory Stirling Silver Belt
Buckle, with leather belt and
buckle with watch chain at-
tached. Some have space for
monogram. Packed
in velvet-lined box. \$5.00
All sizes, A to D.

Men!

The Big Sale!

Clothing
Dept.
Now
Second
FloorMen's Day
in the
Jubilee
Week

Overcoats \$33

A prominent manufacturer who
wanted to participate in this event
shipped these brand-new Coats in
time for Saturday's selling.

If bought in the regular way
these garments would have to sell up to \$5.00. So, men, it's a
wonderful value-giving event that no one can possibly afford to
miss. An extra force of salesmen will be in attendance to insure
personal attention to all.

Warm, burly plaid-back Overcoats in a large selection of
colors and models of the most serviceable materials. Sizes
33 to 46.

\$35 to \$37.50 2-Pants Suits—Overcoats

The Suits—

Offer a wide range of pat-
terns—in stripes, checks, blue
serge and novelty mixtures.
In single and double-breasted
models. Also the popular
English effects. Sizes 34 to
48. Jubilee \$29.45

Other Overcoats

..... \$24.45, \$38.50 to \$70.00

The Overcoats—

Choice of all the newest
models—in single and double-
breasted box coats, ulsters
and ulsterettes now so popu-
lar. All plaid-back materi-
als—in the newest tan,
greys, heather and fancy
patterns. Sizes 34 to 48. Jubilee price
..... \$29.45

..... \$24.45, \$38.50 to \$70.00

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

BARGAIN BASEMENT

Sale of 2000 Girls' Winter

COATS

Just the Styles the
Girls Want for
School or for Dress
Wear.

\$6.00



Velours Polaire Plaid
Herringbone
Cheviots Chinchilla
In plain and fur-trim-
med models for Fall and
Winter. All styles. All
colors for children.
Sizes 2 to 6 and 7 to 14.

\$1.95 to \$2.50 Women's
Fine Hosiery

Pure thread silk, silk and
fiber with lisle garter tops;
assorted sizes; splendid se-
lection of colors; unusual
values. Mostly samples....

(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

BARGAIN BASEMENT

\$1.50 Fancy Pillowcases
Beautifully embroidered in rose, blue and
yellow, 42x26 size. Each pr. in Xmas box. Pr. \$1.19

\$2.50 Tricolette Bloomers
Very fine quality, extra well made, pleated ruffle
bottoms with fancy embroidery \$1.88

\$5.00 Bathrobes
Beautiful Robes in very attractive pat-
terns, satin ribbon trimmed; all sizes. \$3.79

\$2.00 Towel Sets
Very fine quality, consisting of 1 large towel, 1
guest towel and 1 wash cloth to match \$1.59

\$1.69 Costume Slips
Good quality satinet, with silk fancy trimming. \$1.19

50c Men's Silk and Fiber Hose
Black and assorted colors, full range of sizes;
slightly imperfect; pretty fine weave; 29c

\$1.69 Full-Fashioned Chiffon
Black and all the new dark and light shades;
irregular sizes, 8 1/2 to 19; all silk and
silk with lisle tops \$1.00

69c Men's Silk-and-Wool
Black, gray, brown, etc.; slightly imperfect; just
the thing for immediate wear; all sizes 39c

5000 Fine Fancy

Bath Towels

75c Values

50c

3000 Boxes Christ-
mas Handkerchiefs

25c Box 50c Box
75c Box

Handkerchiefs for men, women and children.
Plain white and colors; packed three in
a box.

Christmas

Slippers

300 pairs of women's and children's
cozy, warm felt slippers in a surprising
value-giving event.

For Women—Pretty ribbon trim or
rain-cord cuff design in old rose, copper,
light blue, gray, brown, orchid, victoria,
blue, navy, purple and many others.
Sizes to 8, variable and many others.

For Boys and Girls—Bootsie cuff or dash-
er colors. Some have the wanted figure
or animal trim on vamp or cuffs. Sizes
child's 5 to misses 2. Boys' sizes 2 1/2
to 5 1/2.

Choice.. 79c



(Bargain Basement.)

BARGAIN BASEMENT

\$1.98 Envelope Chemise
Crepe de chine, silk and lisle, lace and embroi-
dery trimmed. Make excellent
gifts; regular sizes \$1.50

\$1.39 Satinay Bloomers
Made of cotton satinay; regular and extra
sizes; light shades; beautiful soft materials,
98c

\$1.00 Boys' and Girls' Underwear
Girls' Suits in white, boys' Suits, gray and ecru.
Ages 14 to 16 at 90c.

Open and drop seat; sizes 2 to 12 79c

Fine Tricolette Costume Slips
Extra well made, beautiful quality; pleated bot-
toms, in fancy contrasting colors. \$2.49

Boys' Sweaters
All-wool slipover and coat styles, in the wanted
plain and combination colors. Sizes 25 to 34 \$2.98

\$3.98 Silk Umbrellas
Beautiful silk Umbrellas in all the desirable
shades. New, fancy handles \$2.95

\$1.95 Pearl Necklaces
Beautiful artificial indestructible pearls.
24-inch length graduated styles \$1.00

\$1.59 Beaded Bags
Newest importations in a beautiful range
of colors; all drawing tops \$1.00

A Remarkable Group of
Boys' Overcoats

At Great Savings

\$7.95



Right at the height of the se-
ason we offer these Coats at the
exceptional low price. Overcoats
for the juvenile as well as the
school youth, clean collar and
plain convertible collar in the
most popular styles, brown, tan,
military and the most wanted
colors of today, poodle blue all
sizes, 2 to 12.

\$3.95 Foulard Dresses

Beautiful Foulard Dresses \$2.59
—in beautiful colors, very
attractive styles. Small, me-
dium and large sizes.

Regular \$
Women

New Linen

Extraordi-

designed for

kind in bea-

linen. New

Three Gro

Gift Suggstion

In the Girls' Departm

Brushed Wool Scarf as

Tam Sets

In holly boxes, including

and holly styles. All color

Girls' Raincoats

In blue or red, with hood

ed. In holly boxes.

Girls' Sweaters

Heavy sport coat models, op

er slipover styles. All color

combinations. \$2.98 to \$

Girls' Broadcloth Overb

Peter Pan collars, long

sleeves. Imported label in

Blouse. Colors: Tan, blue

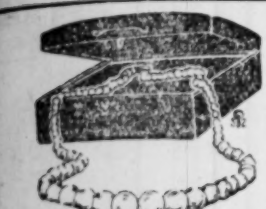
and white. All sizes \$

Women's Service-Weight Hose

Full-fashioned, service-weight hose with hile elastic top. In black and all wanted shades. Sizes \$1.50 to \$2.00.

\$1.50 and \$2

Women's Sport Hose
Silk and fiber-ribbed Sport Hose, in semi-fashoned style, in black, beige, champagne and log cabin. All sizes \$1.00 to \$1.50.



\$6.00 Pearl Necklace
Cora indestructible artificial Pearl Necklace. Beautifully graduated. White gold-plated. In gift box. **\$3.95**

Wrist Watch
White gold-filled Wrist Watch, rectangular shape. Fitted with a jewel movement, sapphire crown. In gift box. **\$10.95**

Kiddies' Sweater Sets

Matched link-knit and brush wool Sweater Sets. Including Sweater, cap and leggings to match. In most popular colors. Sizes 24 to 28. **\$4.95**

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Nugents
The Store for ALL the People

The Big Lamp Sale 1/2 Price

Lamps Make Ideal Gifts



(Second Floor, Annex—Nugents.)

DECEMBER JUBILEE WEEK

The Big Sale!



Men's Day
in the
Jubilee
Week



\$45.00. So, men, it's a chance possibly afford to attend to insure

A large selection of materials. Sizes

Overcoats

The Overcoats—
Choice of all the newest models—in single and double-breasted box coats, ulsters and ulsterettes now so popular. All plaid-back materials—in the newest tan, grey, heather and fancy patterns. Sizes 24 to 40. **\$29.45** to **\$70.00**

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

Remarkable Group of Overcoats

At Great Savings

\$7.95

Right at the height of the season we offer these coats at the exceptional low price. Overcoats for the juvenile as well as the school youth, plaid collars and plain convertible collars in the most popular styles, brown, tan, navy and the most wanted colors of today, poudre blue; all sizes, 2 to 12.

5 Foulard Dresses

Full Foulard Dresses in beautiful colors, very stylish. Small, medium and large sizes. **\$2.59**

\$4 Trefousse Gloves

Splendid Gloves of finest French Kid, in 2-clasp style, with heavy embroidered backs and full P. K. sewn. Good assortment of white and colors. Jubilee Price. **\$3.35**

\$6.50 Trefousse Kid Gloves
Finest French Kid Gloves in 12, button or lock-down design. Full P. K. sewn, perfect fitting and with plain point or embroidered backs. Complete range of correct shades. Jubilee Price. **\$4.98**

\$3.95 Novelty Kid Gauntlets
Real French Kid Gauntlets in the new novelty short cuff style with ruffled dainty trimmings, full P. K. sewn, and with embroidered backs. Come in black, brown, mode and grey. Size to 7 1/2. Jubilee Price. **\$2.95**

\$2.95 to \$3.50 Men's Gloves
Good quality gloves the men in suede or fine leather, outsize sewn with small stitched and embroidered backs. Some in grey and some in brown. Jubilee Price. **\$1.75**

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Novelty Gauntlets
New Novelty Gauntlets of fine quality imported washable chambray, in short cuff effects, trimmed with contrasting color applique and stitching. Several styles in the present popular shade. **\$1.00**

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Regular \$6.50 to \$8.00 Women's Shoes



Jubilee Price \$3.95

Seldom indeed is such footwear offered at this price. More than thirty styles for selection including sailor ties, side and front gore effects, street Oxfords and pumps. Sale ends Saturday.

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Art Needlework Gift Suggestions Beautiful Silk Pillows

A wonderful offer of pretty silk Pillows in these beautiful shades of new rose, orange, orchid, open, old rose, black, yellow and gold, smartly trimmed with contrasting colors of silk flowers, gathered or flat, in round, oblong and other smart shapes as shown. **\$2.39**

Japanese Wall Vases—green with attractive raised pattern, black and gold with silver dragon inlaid. **49c**

Art Vases—in three attractive shapes, colors: black and gold, black and white, black and red. **\$1.09**

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

\$5.95 to \$8.95 Sample Dresses

Ideal \$3.59 for Gifts

New Linen Models, New Broadcloth Models

Extraordinary purchase of new Dresses designed for next year styles. One-of-a-kind in beautiful quality broadcloth and linen. New shades. Only 300 in this group. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Three Groups of Girls' Sample Coats for Saturday

Gift Suggestions
In the Girls' Department
Brushed Wool Scarf and Tam Sets

In holly boxes, including gift tag. Many styles. All colors. **\$1.98**

Girls' Raincoats
In blue or red, with hood attached. In holly boxes. **\$1.98**

Girls' Sweaters
Heavy sport coat models, or light or all-wool styles. All colors and combinations. **\$2.98 to \$7.50**

Girls' Broadcloth Overblouses
Peter Pan collar, long sleeve, buttoned. Colors: Tan, blue, white. All sizes. **\$1.95**



\$1.25 Gift Boxes

Three dainty Kerchiefs with elaborately embroidered corners, of good quality linen, fine ribbed and lace. These come in solid colors; all white or white embroidered in colors. Jubilee Price. **\$1.00**

\$1.00 Folder of Handkerchiefs
Three or six pretty embroidered Handkerchiefs, in various styles; put up in attractive folder; these are white and colors in a big assortment of patterns. Jubilee Price. **59c**

\$1.50 Armenian Handkerchiefs
Fine quality pure linen Handkerchiefs with handmade Armenian lace edges all around. Jubilee Price. **75c**

(Main Floor—Nugents.)



Leather and Beaded Bags

\$15 to \$18 French Metal Beaded Bags
In beautiful light shades for evening wear; also the darker shades for afternoon and afternoon wear. These Bags make ideal gifts. **\$12.95**

\$5.50 to \$6 Leather Bags
All underarm, swaggar or tailored styles. Some of these Bags are leather lined. Leather bags are vallette, cobra, beaver, pinnaled and morocco. **\$4.95**

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Three Special Groups for Saturday Selling Silk Gowns and Chemises

An opportunity to select gifts of silk undergarments from a wonderful assortment.

Group 1 **\$3.95 Values** **Group 2** **\$4.95 Values** **Group 3** **\$6.50 and \$6.95 Values**

\$2.95 \$3.95 \$5.95

Group 1. Choice of Envelope Chemise, French Drawers, Blouses and Nightgowns made of heavy quality crepe de chine, lace-trimmed and tailored styles. Price, **\$2.95**

Group 2. Unusual envelope Chemise, bodice-top and sleeve Nightgowns, of heavy quality crepe de chine, beautifully trimmed with fine lace, hemstitching in pastel shades. Price, **\$3.95**

Group 3. Beautiful crepe de chine slipover Nightgowns, sleeveless models, envelope Chemise and sleep-in Chemise, elaborately trimmed with coral lace, tucks, hemstitching and ribbon, colors: coral, Nile, navy, green and blue. **\$5.95**

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Women's Blanket Robes

\$2.95

1000 attractively ribbon-trimmed Bath-robies. Full cut, all new patterns in the most desired shades. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)



Nothing Like It Ever— Ever—EVER!

IN a blaze of regal splendor, the like of which will stagger even the oldest gnomes of his wonderland, King Santa, himself, with his sceptre in hand, swings wide the oaken gates of Toy Town at 9 a. m. Saturday and lets joy unrestrained pour out into the world of every kiddy! An event that will never be forgotten!

Such Sights! Such Fun!

Such hilarity! A day of unbounded joy for all! Not one little boy or girl in the whole city of St. Louis should lose the opportunity of being here! It's absorbing—inspiring—tremendous! The biggest, finest Toy Town in Santa's entire kingdom—ready, after an entire solid year of preparations! Come early!



\$2.25 Tree Lights

Electric Xmas Tree Light Outfit with 8 colored "Mazda" bulbs, and special plug connection, making it possible to connect several light outfits on one line. **\$1.59**

\$12.50 Desk and Chair

Medium size; solid oak roll-top Desk with Chair to match. **\$9.85**



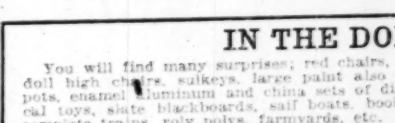
\$19.50 Desk and Chair

Large-size solid oak roll-top Desk with plenty of space and **\$14.95** Chair to match.



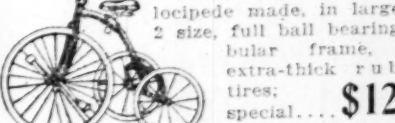
\$5.50 Doll Buggies

Good size, made of extra strong, closely woven fiber, in rich French gray with finish with adjustable hood and rubber-tired wheels. **\$4.45**



500 China Sets of Dishes

Good-sized pieces, prettily decorated; 6 cups, 6 saucers, teapot, sugar bowl and creamer; very special, 15-piece sets, similar to cut. **\$1.49**



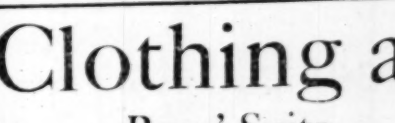
IN THE DOLLAR TOY SECTION

You will find many surprises, and chairs, also rockers, leather footballs, accordions, doll high chairs, saucers, large paint also sewing outfit, complete cook stove with oil lamp, state backboards, call books, books, games, Teddy Bears, stuffed animals, complete trains, toy pots, farmyard, etc. Choice **\$1.00**



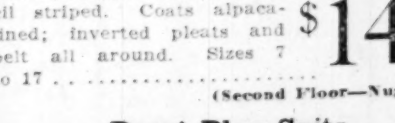
\$14.50 Bicycles

"Columbia," the best V-model made, in large No. 2 size, full ball bearing, tubular frame, with extra-thick rubber tires, special. **\$12.85**



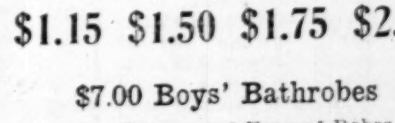
Electric and Mechanical American Flyer Trains

\$1.00 \$7.49 \$3.39



\$2.50 Sidewalk Cars

Large size, strongly made; just 300 to sell at this special price of **\$1.49**



\$7.00 Boys' Bathrobes

Boys' fine Beacon and Edmond Robes. Large shawl collars. Latest colors and patterns. **\$5.95**

The Big Main Floor Toy Store

NO STAIRS NO ELEVATORS

89c Dolls
With crying voice, dressed in silk. Very special. **50c**

\$1.50 Dolls
With mama voice, neatly dressed, non-breakable heads, hands, feet and limbs. **\$1.00**

\$2.50 Dolls
Will walk and talk, prettily dressed with wig and moving eyes. **\$1.68**

\$6.00 Dolls
Large Mama Doll, will also walk; dressed in fine gowns; with unbreakable heads, hands and limbs. **\$3.44**

\$10.00 Dolls
Extra large 26-inch size with mama voice and will walk beautifully dressed; have lovely wigs and moving eyes. **\$7.50**

\$7.50 Dolls
Beautiful extra large 24-inch mama Dolls; exquisitely dressed; a very handsome Doll for. **\$5.95**



Blackboards

With large slate writing space; made to hang on wall. **\$1.85**

Large size on easel, very strong with large slate writing space. **\$2.95**

\$7.50 Coaster Wagons

"American National," large size, full roller bearing with double disc wheels and thick rubber balloon tires. (Not set up). Each in box; very special. **\$4.88**

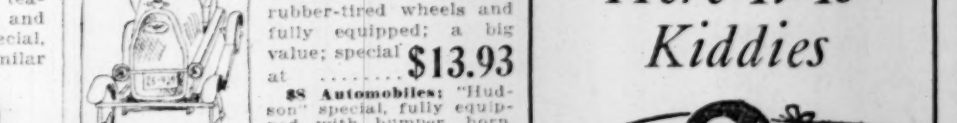
\$3.50 Scooter; a steel and very strong sidewalk Scooter with disc rubber-tired wheels. Very special. **\$2.48**



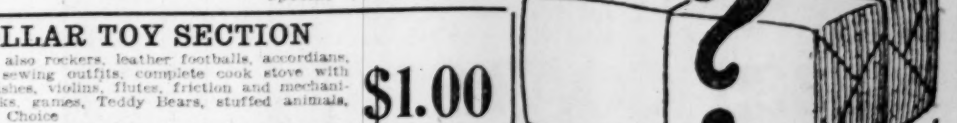
\$18.50 Automobiles

Large size "Cadillac," maroon finish, with windshield, fenders, disc rubber-tired wheels and fully equipped; a big value; special. **\$13.93**

\$8 Automobiles; "Hudson" special, fully equipped with bumper, horn, etc. Very special. **\$5.49**



Here It Is Kiddies



5000 Surprise Packages

25c

The most colossal super-feature in the entire history of toyland! Toys, dolls, games, toy boats, tool boxes, horses and wagons—everything! All sold "Sight unseen!" Be early! The demand will be terrific!



Clothing and Furnishings for Boys

Boys' Suits

Boys' Two-Pant Suits, in chevrons, cast-meres; in light and dark colors, also fine pencil striped. Coats alpaca. **\$14.50**

lined; inverted pleats and buttoned; belted all around. Sizes 7 to 17. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

Boys' Play Suits

Large selection of Cowboy and Indian Suits. Sizes 4 to 14. **\$1.15 \$1.50 \$1.75 \$2.25**

\$7.00 Boys' Bathrobes

Boys' fine Beacon and Edmond Robes. Large shawl collars. Latest colors and patterns. **\$5.95**



Boys' and Youths' Overcoats

Fine all-wool plaid-back **\$22.50** Overcoats. In tan, gray, and brown. Full cut, three-piece, full belted. Sizes 14 to 19.

\$10.00 Boys' Overcoats
Overcoats for small boys. Broken lots of convertible collar and button-to-neck styles. Sizes 2 to 6 only. **\$7.00**

Boys' Knickers
Special purchase of boys' lined Knickers. Full cut. In neat stripes. Sizes 6 to 17. **\$1.59**

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

\$4.00 Boys' Sweaters
Boys' all-wool sweaters, coat style. In all the newest colors. Sizes 24 to 36. **\$2.85**

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

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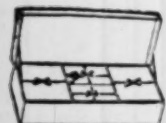
MAN'S
BEST AGE

A man is as old as his organs; he can be vigorous and healthy at 70 if he keeps his vital organs healthy. Drink lots of water and try

GOLD MEDAL
HAARLEM OIL
CAPSULES

A world famous remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles since 1896; stimulates vital organs. All druggists, three sizes.

Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation

CHRISTMAS
STATIONERY

BUXTON & SKINNER
FOURTH NEAR OLIVE

GIRL ADMITS HELPING ZUPKE
KILL FORMER SWEETHEART

Florence McKinney, 19, Pleads Guilty to Being an Accessory After the Fact.

By the Associated Press.
BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Dec. 4.—Florence McKinney, 19 years old, yesterday pleaded guilty to being an accessory after the fact in the killing Sept. 6, last, of Cora May Reber, who was said to have been choked to death by Emil Zupke, St. Joseph factory laborer.

The crime carries a maximum penalty of seven years. She was released on \$2000 bail to await sentence. Miss McKinney admitted she drove Zupke's roadster while he choked to death Miss Reber, his former sweetheart.

Agricultural Radio Indorsed.
By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Agricultural broadcasting should be extended until all parts of the agricultural community are reached by a satisfactory and regular service, the agricultural radio conference held here today under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture declared in resolutions adopted last night. The supervising of the broadcasting of all weather reports by the United States Weather Bureau was approved, as was the present co-operative supervision of the broadcasting of market reports by Federal and State marketing agencies.

Store Hours:
Daily, 9 to 5:30
Saturday, 9 to 6

Scruggs-Vanderwoort-Barney

Olive and Locust from Ninth to Tenth

The Store of the Christmas Spirit



Another Important Purchase and Sale Offers an Ideal Opportunity to Make Christmas Gift Selections

1000 Handmade and Real Lace Trimmed Blouses

Regular \$2.95 Blouses **\$1.00** and **\$1.95** Regular \$3.95 Blouses

FRESH, lovely, new English Broadcloth and Dimity-handmade Blouses. They are the most marvelous values we have ever had in Blouses of this type. Both tuck-in and overblouse styles are included. All feature exquisite new designs in hand-embroidery and hand-drawnwork. The Blouses at \$1 have real Irish medallion insets and Irish picot edges. The Blouses at \$1.95 have wide insertions and edges of the best quality real Irish and filet laces. Some have the pretty Shamrock edge. Sizes 34 to 42. Just the kind of Blouse to wear with jumper skirts and sweaters.

Make Early Selection as We Expect Such Values as These to Go in a Day!

Blouse Shop—Third Floor.

Gifts for Girls

Skipper Sets For Rainy Days, \$8.95
JUST received for Christmas gifts—new Skipper rubber raincoats with hats to match; some plaid lined; raglan sleeves. Sizes 8 to 16 years. Colors—green, blue, maroon and yellow.

Bestyette Capes \$3.95

Rubber sateen Raincoats in various colors; sizes 6 to 16 years. Packed in Christmas boxes.

On the First Floor Tables

Girls' Raincoats with hood attached; in navy and tan; sizes 6 to 12 years. Very special values Saturday. **\$1.79**

Overblouses, \$1.95 and \$2.95

These make pretty gifts—they come in English broadcloth in white, tan and blue with Peter Pan collars. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

Plaid Pleated Skirts \$4.95

A new assortment of plaid skirts in various pleated styles; made on underwaist. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Winter Coats

For girls and juniors are shown in becoming, smart models with lovely fur collars or fur trimmings—well lined throughout and interlined to insure winter comfort. All sizes, outstanding values. **\$25**

Girls' Shop—Third Floor.

New Jumper Skirts

Make Welcome Gifts

\$9.95

ANY young woman would be delighted to receive one of these new Jumper Skirts that are so much in vogue now. New arrivals enable us to show them in plaids and checks as well as charmeen, hairline stripes and invisible checks and stripes. Some are trimmed in buttons and pipings of contrasting color. Some feature new pleating arrangements. Special values at **\$9.95**

Skirt Shop—Third Floor.

The Second Floor Sports Shop Offers Special Purchase and Sale of

New Charmeen Sports Frocks

\$25.00

THESE new sport Dresses boast the latest smart trimming feature-plaid. Like the styles illustrated, one has pipings and a chic tie of plaid taffeta; the other, smart bands of plaid braid. They are made of very fine Charmeen and come in navy, brown and rosewood. Sizes 14 to 40. Specially priced. Excellent values.

Jaunty Winter Sports Coats

\$55.00 and \$59.75

Swagger models in 100% camel's hair, imported plaids and drongo. All have luxurious fur collars and fur trimmings of beaver, wolf, Jap mink, dyed civet cat and racoon.

Sports Apparel Shop—Second Floor.

SMART HATS

MANY smart new Hats have been added to the extensive selection at this attractive price. Charming small brim, cloches, off-the-face and turban styles offer becoming models for everyone and invite you to choose a new Hat for holiday wear. **\$5.00**

Millinery Shop—Third Floor.

Misses' Dance Frocks

for Christmas Parties

\$29.75 to \$59.75

THESE delightful, colorful new Frocks seem just made for the holiday gayeties. The latest fashions and the newest high shades, including ombre effects, are shown in the most charming models imaginable. Ostrich-trimmed Georgettes and velvets, pompadour taffetas, silver-embroidered chiffons and rhinestone studded satins in Titian sand, chocolate dandy, fuchsia, poudre blue, jade, pansy, rust, burnt orange and white.

Misses' Coats With Fox Collars and Trimmings, \$95.00 and \$125.00

Smart, youthful new models in the soft, suede-like fabrics with the soft, becoming natural fox fur luxuriously used as collars, cuffs and often bands.

See them in the lovely new high shades, as well as black and brown.

Misses' Shop—Third Floor.



Gifts for Boys

Boys' Indian Suits, \$3.50

THESE play Suits are always a welcome gift. They come with headpieces to match. Like illustration. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

Children's Indian Wigwams, \$6.50

Children's Leather Leggings

In knee length, buttoned at side; warmly fleece lined. In brown. Sizes 3 to 10 years.

In Vici Kid, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

In Calfskin, \$3.50.

English Broadcloth Shirts, \$3.50 and \$4

In white, tan, gray and blue; made with collar attached; sizes 12½ to 14 neckband.

Boys' Ties, 50c to \$1

The new Christmas gift assortment offers a host of colors and patterns in bow, string and nifty Ties.

Children's Sweaters, \$3.50

Buttoned-front style with two pockets and belt and Byron collar; a variety of combination colors. All worsted. Sizes 24, 26 and 28.

Boys' Furnishing Shop—Second Floor.

Imported Bandeaux

Are Charming Gifts

THE MILLINERY Shop is showing many fascinating new Bandeaux that would be a very pleasing gift to young women who are anticipating holiday dances and formal affairs. They come in silver, gold, orchid, pink and green. Priced **\$1.95 to \$10.00**

Imported Boutonnieres in boxes, in gardenias, rosebuds, camellias and small flowers; dainty gifts, **35c to \$1**

Lovely Corsages of imported Palmier violets and orchids for gifts, **\$1.50 to \$2.00**

Millinery Shop—Third Floor.

An "Economy Store" on "Economy Block"

Jackson's

313-315 WASHINGTON AVENUE

Starting Tomorrow, Saturday, at 8:30 O'Clock

OUR ANNUAL Pre-Inventory SALE

Before stock-taking we've decided to "let go" of every garment in the house—FUR, MICH, CHANDISE, ON HAND—that's the situation—note the reductions—they tell the story.



2335 COATS

S-A-C-R-I-F-I-C-E-D

212 WINTER COATS **\$9.95**

That Sold Up to \$20.

365 WINTER COATS **\$12.95**

That Sold Up to \$25.

460 WINTER COATS **\$14.95**

That Sold Up to \$35.

540 WINTER COATS **\$19.95**

That Sold Up to \$45.

315 WINTER COATS **\$24.95**

That Sold Up to \$55.

443 WINTER COATS **\$34.95**

That Sold Up to \$75.

Note

THIS INCLUDES PRACTICALLY OUR ENTIRE STOCK—ALL SIZES, 14 TO 44, INCLUDING STOUTS UP TO 58.

ALL DRESSES

S-A-C-R-I-F-I-C-E-D

200 DRESSES—**\$4.95**

That Sold Up to \$15.

460 DRESSES—**\$6.95**

That Sold Up to \$20.

800 DRESSES—**\$9.95**

That Sold Up to \$25.

740 DRESSES—**\$14.95**

That Sold Up to \$35.

ALL SUITS

\$14.95

Choice of the House—

All Tailored Suits Up to \$75

Now **\$24.95**

\$34.95

Store Hours:
Daily, 9 to 5:30;
Saturday, 9 to 6.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Olive and Locust from Ninth to Tenth

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

A Trip Through the Store Reveals Christmas Gifts in Abundance

Big, Brightly Colored Toyshop Cut-out

Given Free to Every Boy and Girl Who Visits the Toy Shop Saturday!

SANTA CLAUS will give away 6800 of these wonderful cut-outs. A Toy Shop buzzing with activity is represented in the completed arrangement. Outside shows Santa's workshop and two other scenes. A few of the cut-out pieces are:

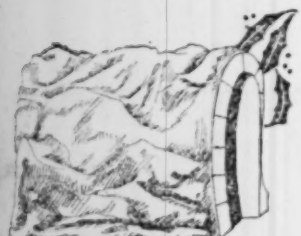
- Counters and glass cases stocked with toys.
- Salespeople.
- Boy and girl shoppers.
- A Christmas tree, brightly decorated.
- A merry Santa Claus.
- Toy house.
- Toy automobile.
- Dollie.
- Toy sleigh.
- Toy piano.
- Toy wash tub.
- Toy telephone.
- and many, many others.



Saturday Offers Extreme Values in

Mechanical Gift Toys

Fascinating Mechanical Toys here galore! Each with an individual appeal to youthful imaginations. Any number of different Toy selections. And Santa Claus here in person to give each of his young friends a Toy Shop Cut-out!



Mountain Tunnels

In colors, topped with snow, to go with train outfits. Inside dimensions, 5 1/2 inches high by 7 inches long, to accommodate 5-inch train. Special 59c



Street Car

5-inch mechanical street car. Beautifully colored; has trolley, runs with clock motor. Only \$1.00



Handcar With Track

Two men operating handcar, mechanically wound; with slide track. Loads of fun. Special \$1.25



Musical Top

Small children will love this! Spins mechanically, giving sweet humming tune. Finished in bright colors. 85c



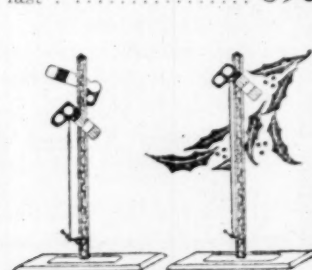
Roly-Poly

11 inches high. Baby will play with this for hours. Movable head; in such cunning characters as clowns, negroes, foxy grandpas. In pretty colors. 75c



Vandervoort Parcel Post Truck

Red and black, with "Vandervoort's" in gold letters, with driver. 8 1/2 inches long. Regularly \$1.25. While 200 last 89c



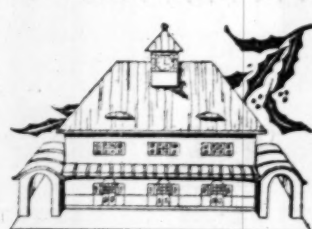
Double Signal

13 inches high, metal, painted black and white with red and green signals. Only 85c



Freight Station

Metal, with freight platform and sliding door. Boys and girls will enjoy this toy. Special 59c



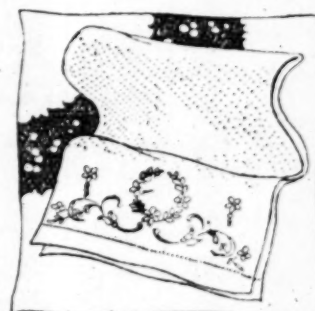
Metal Depot

In two pretty colors, looks like a real Depot, with clock in tower; two shelter stations. Special \$2.00



"Gay Grinders"

Soft-toned Musical Toys. Ideal for small tots. Lovely colored butterfly and flower decorations. Special at 25c



A Pleasing Gift
Linen Towels
\$2.25

ALWAYS a fine gift for the housewife is the choice of Linen Towels—no linen closet is ever too full. All linen huck Towels in white with colored embroidered designs present a varied selection at this price. Size 18x36 inches. Linen Shop—Second Floor.

Gift Umbrellas

In New Arrays
"I want a sixteen-rib colored Silk Umbrella," said a man at the Umbrella Shop yesterday, "these sixteen-rib Umbrellas seem to be so new and smart."

And Vandervoort's Umbrella shop has a large stock of these fashionable 16-rib styles. We illustrate three popular models.



Tape edge taffeta Umbrella. \$5



With inch and quarter Ottoman border; carved wood handles, at \$6.95



Three-inch Ottoman border; short, thick amber colored handles. \$10

Other 16-Rib Styles \$12 to \$16.50
All have the new silk cord arm swings. Navy, purple, brown, green, red.

"Vandervoort's for the Unusual in Umbrellas"
Umbrella Shop—First Floor.

Collars and Collar and Cuff Sets

In Irish, Filet, Venise, Antique Filets in Many Lovely Combinations

EACH a charming complement to frock, sweater or suit, and what can be more appropriate to bestow on Christmas morning? In soft ecru, to combine beautifully with any color of costume.

Real Lace Collars
\$1.95
Boat shape. Collars of real filet; powder collars of filet. Venise, Irish and net.

\$3.75
Irish and filet laces are beautifully combined to form round, 16 and 18 inch collars.

\$4.95
Fitted, round and Buster Brown collars in Venise, shadow filet, antique filet and Irish.

Other Real Lace Collars, \$6.50 to \$17.50

Collar and Cuff Sets
\$8.75
Filet, Irish and Venise laces form these round Collars with the deep gauntlet cuffs.

\$12.50
Tuxedo, round, boat-neck, long shawl Collars in Irish, Venise and dainty filet laces.

Other Lace Gift Sets, \$8.75 to \$17.50
Neckwear Shop—First Floor.

Sale of 1000 Smoking Stands

Listing Only a Few Examples of the Many New and Attractive Smoking Stands and Humidors at Vandervoort's

SPECIALLY PRICED

As Illustrated

85c

Wrought iron Smoking Stand; finished antique removable glass tray.

At \$7.50

Mahogany - finished Humidor with large compartment and drawer. Removable ash tray. Nickel trimmed.

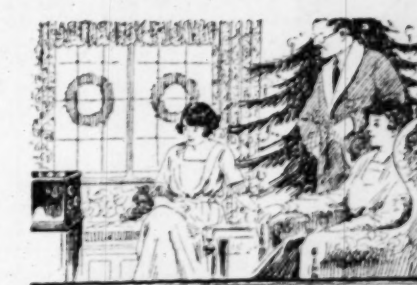
At \$4.75

Regularly \$7.00

Smoking Stand with gilded and carved base. Removable ash tray. Match box holder and cigar rests, complete.

Furniture Shop—Fifth Floor.
First Floor Tables.
P. S.—Furniture selected now can be secured by a small deposit for Christmas delivery. Take advantage of Vandervoort's Budget System.

GIFT RADIO SETS



PARTS

- \$8 Atwater-Kent Varocoupler \$4.00
- \$8 Atwater-Kent Variometers \$4.00
- \$8 Atwater-Kent Variocoupler, m'd \$6.50
- \$9.75 Atwater-Kent Turner \$4.75
- \$12 Atwater-Kent Detector and Amplifier \$6.50
- \$5 Atwater-Kent Detector Unit \$2.50
- \$6.50 Manhattan Variometers \$3.25
- \$8 Manhattan Variocouplers \$4.00
- \$4 Tuska Variocouplers \$2.00
- \$7 Acme Detector Units \$3.50
- \$6 Atwater-Kent Dials 45c
- \$6.50 Honeycomb Coil Mountings \$3.25
- \$4 United Condensers, 43-plate \$2.00
- \$2.75 United Condensers, 11-plate \$1.50
- \$6 Bremmer-Tully Condensers, 43-p. \$3.00

Many at 1/2 Regular Price

Every Set perfect and of a dependable make. Bring Christmas joy to someone and enjoy a saving yourself.

- \$65 Grebe; special \$32.50
- \$175 Grebe CR12 \$69.50
- \$150 Watteco 5-Tube Set \$50.00
- \$75 Professional 1-Tube Tuska \$22.15
- \$75 Professional Tuner \$28.50
- \$235 Kennedy 220 and 525 Amplifier \$49.50
- \$88.75 Kennedy, model V \$53.25
- \$105 Kennedy, model VI \$63.00
- \$185 Kennedy, model AI \$110.00
- \$110 Kennedy Portable \$66.00
- \$26 Atwater-Kent Detector and 1-Tube Set, \$13.00
- \$32 Atwater-Kent Detector and 1-Tube Set, \$16.00
- \$120 5-Tube French Radio Set \$40.00
- \$150 5-Tube French Radio Set \$49.50

RADIOLA III-A

\$75.00 Ready for delivery. Complete with tubes, phones and Manhattan or Master loud speaker. Batteries not included.

Radio Shop—First Floor.

Imported Bandeaux

Charming Gifts

MILLINERY Shop is showing many fascinating new Bandeaux which would be a very pleasing gift to young women who are anticholiday dances and formal. They come in silver, gold, pink and green. Priced. \$1.95 to \$10.00

Imported Boutonnieres in boxes, carnations, roses, camellias and others; dainty gifts, 35c to \$2.00

Corsets of imported Palmers and orchids for gifts, \$1.50 to \$5.00

Millinery Shop—Third Floor.

"Vandervoort" Girdles

In Three Excellent Models

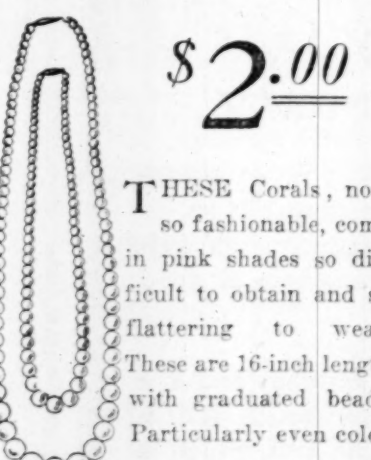
\$1.50 \$1.95 \$2.95

ANY one of these three Girdles will prove a satisfactory choice. Pink brocade material with elastic sections at the sides. The Girdles at \$2.95 have three pair of hose supporters and are longer than the others measuring about twelve inches.

Corset Shop—Third Floor.

Gifts. Real Pink Coral Necklaces

\$2.00



Strands

21-inch, uniform beads, special \$1

Rope Strands

54-inch, uniform beads, special \$12

Vandervoort's Jewelry Shop—First Floor.

Saturday—A Sale of 150,000 Standard Loaded Shotgun Shells in Two Extraordinary Groups—Box of 25 for 60c and 65c

Divorce to Fairbanks' First Wife.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 5.—Mrs. Beth Sully Fairbanks Evans today was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce here from James

Evans, Pittsburg broker, and was given permission to resume the name of Fairbanks, which she formerly bore as the wife of Douglas Fairbanks, film actor.

6 Months to Pay
CREDIT TO ALL
\$2 DOWN
GET READY FOR XMAS
There is no red tape, simply pay \$2 down, take 6 months to pay the balance.

Women's Stylish Coats Only \$2 Down

Coats in pile or smooth-finish fabrics, in all the season's most favored colors. Many adorned with deep collars of fur, others with fur bandings. As low as

\$19.75

Men's and young men's 1 and 2 pants suits. Newest styles and fabrics. Latest shades.

\$29.50
Up

Open Saturday evening until 9 o'clock.

Men's Overcoats Only \$2 Down

Unquestionably the greatest values in warm winter overcoats. Styles for men and young men. In new shades of blue and brown, also plaid-backs in rough and smooth finish fabrics. On sale at

\$29.00
And Up

STAR CREDIT CLOTHING CO.
510 WASHINGTON AVENUE
OVER WOLWORTH'S 2d AND 5th STORE



Buy your boy this splendid
IVES electric four car train only \$12.00
No. 502

YOUR boy will almost burst with pride and joy when he sees this famous Ives train on Christmas morning. It has four beautiful cars, more than the ordinary train outfit. It is drawn by a locomotive with reverse mechanism and a real electric headlight. So your boy will have something unusual. If you will buy it for him today, he will call you "the finest Dad in the world."

Take your boy to see the big Christmas exhibits of Ives Trains at the leading department stores, toy, hardware, sporting goods and electric stores. Get an Ives Train and you will be sure your boy has a lifetime gift, the most powerful and realistic trains in the world. Other complete mechanical and electric train sets, from \$1.50 to \$50.00; also transformers and a big variety of accessories.

THE IVES MANUFACTURING CORPORATION
Bridgeport, Conn.

IVES ELECTRIC AND MECHANICAL TRAINS

CHILDREN'S CATTLE BRING HIGH PRICES

Forty-Three Scientifically Raised Animals Disposed Of by Calf Club.

Forty-three Angus yearlings, scientifically raised by the children of the Auburn Calf Club of Sangamon County, Ill., were sold at auction yesterday at the National Stock Yards, in East St. Louis. The yearlings, many of which weighed as much as 1300 pounds, were the property of the children and had been raised on a grain ration since Jan. 23 of this year. The exact amount of food given to each animal was carefully tabulated in order to ascertain its effect upon the growing calf.

Animals Same Size.
A special train brought the club members with their valued favorites to the stockyards. When the train drew up at the wooden pens the children gathered about the cattle-cars to point out to each other their respective yearlings. All the animals were of the same breed and color and approximately the same size, yet the proud owners found no difficulty in recognizing their own through the slats of the cars.

The club, which has 25 members, both boys and girls, between the ages of 10 and 20, is the largest of its kind in Illinois, and is the first calf club to hold an auction of its stock at East St. Louis.

L. Madden, the farm advisor of Sangamon County, is the head of the calf club movement, while his assistant, Ralph E. Nolan, teaches the children the correct care of the animals.

In addition to the yearlings, there was also auctioned seven pure breed baby-beef calves raised at the Missouri University School of Agriculture under the direction of E. A. Trowbridge, professor of animal husbandry.

Sold for 40 Cents a Pound.
A prime yearling steer, raised by Mary Hopp of Auburn, brought the highest price in the bidding. The competition started at 15 cents a pound and swiftly rose to 40 cents, being purchased at that figure by T. L. Remley of East St. Louis. The steer weighed 1100 pounds, and brought its young owner the sum of \$440. Remley also paid 24 cents a pound for a short-horn calf of the Missouri University lot, which was the highest price brought by Prof. Trowbridge's stock.

HOUSE GETS BILL TO MODIFY DISABLED VETERANS' LAWS
Congressman Johnson's Measure Would Increase Benefits to Ex-Soldiers in Several Instances.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Modification of laws affecting World War veterans, as recommended by the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans and the Veterans' Bureau, would be authorized under a bill introduced yesterday by Representative Johnson of South Dakota, chairman of the House Veterans' Committee.

The measure, designed to correct defects in the Johnson-Rood bill passed last session, would grant permanent disability ratings to veterans if, after 24 months' temporary disability, they were unfit to take up any occupation. Other provisions of the present law would authorize the liberalization of the hospitalization provisions of the present law, and the Veterans' Bureau would be prohibited from reversing its rulings as to disability on the sole basis of evidence already considered. Another provision calls for a 50 per cent disability rating for tubercular patients discharged from hospitals.

ONE DEFENDANT IN HAWKINS CASE SEEKS NEW TRIAL
Motion Filed in Behalf of Harry J. Bovard, Who Was Convicted With 13 Others.

By the Associated Press.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 5.—Harry J. Bovard of Pittsburg, one of 14 persons convicted last week in Federal Court in the Hawkins mail fraud conspiracy case yesterday filed a motion for a new trial and an arrest of judgment.

Other defendants have until Dec. 8 to file their motions, and it was understood today that motions would be filed on behalf of William M. Jones, secretary-treasurer of the Indiana State Board of Agriculture and Ford Carter, Indianapolis business man, Judge Ferdinand A. Geiger of Milwaukee, who presided at the trial, set Dec. 19 tentatively as the date for final disposition of the case.

FORMER FASCIST LEADER LOSES SUIT FOR LIBEL
Newspaper Had Printed Letter in Which Balbo Advocated Throwing Political Opponents.

By the Associated Press.
ROME, Dec. 5.—Italo Balbo, former head of the Fascist militia, ousted as a result of the murder of Deputy Matteotti, has lost his libel action against the Roman newspaper, Voce Repubblicana, which had hinted he was responsible for the murder of Don Minicelli, a Catholic priest.

action in introducing its bill for control in the hands of local press, which places facts.

Busy Bee Lady-Love Chocolates

LADY-LOVE SUPREME BLEND . . . \$1.50 the Pound
LADY-LOVE VARIETY PACKAGE . . . \$1.00 the Pound
LADY-LOVE FRUIT and NUTS . . . \$1.25 the Pound
LADY-LOVE SPECIAL 10 oz. BOX50 cents

DAD'S Candy Corner

THERE'S SPEED SERVICE AT 6TH & OLIVE. The famous Lady-Love Chocolates—and all the other Busy Bee Candies—are ready-packed. Pull a bill out of your pocket as you open the door, grab a box of candy with your other hand, and you're out on the street before the street car conductor has time to slam his door. Dad's CANDY CORNER is catching on!

SATURDAY'S SUNDAY Candy Special

Chocolate Orange Fruit Creams
French Nougat and Milk
Chocolate Dipped Fudge
1-lb. Box 50c 2-lb. Box \$1.00

Royal Coconut Layer Cake — Freshly grated coconut 75c & \$1.50

WHY BAKE AT HOME Round Cheese Cake 30c

Whole Wheat Raisin Bread . . . 20c

Cherry Pies 50c

Lemon Rolls . . . the dozen . . . 40c

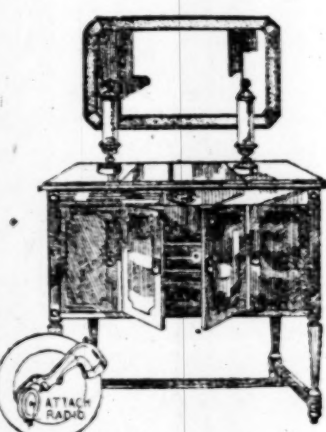
Caramel Rolls 25c

WE SHIP EVERYWHERE
Place Christmas Orders NOW!

No Chocolates like Lady-Love Chocolates

STIX, BAER & FULLER
GRAND-LEADER

Vogue Console Phonographs



With
Torchers
and Mirror

\$69

A Worthy Gift to Your Family

THIS handsome instrument is an exceptional buy at the price quoted. It is finished in either dark mahogany or rich walnut and the case is a fine example of good cabinet making.

The tone quality is exceptional and the mechanical equipment guaranteed. A feature of this model is the tone arm, which is constructed so that a radio set may be attached, using the tone chamber of the Phonograph for a loud speaker.

Convenient Payment Terms
Can Be Arranged

(Fourth Floor.)

STIX, BAER & FULLER GRAND-LEADER DOWNSTAIRS STORE



A Very Special Selling of
OVERCOATS
At a Decided Price Advantage
\$17.85

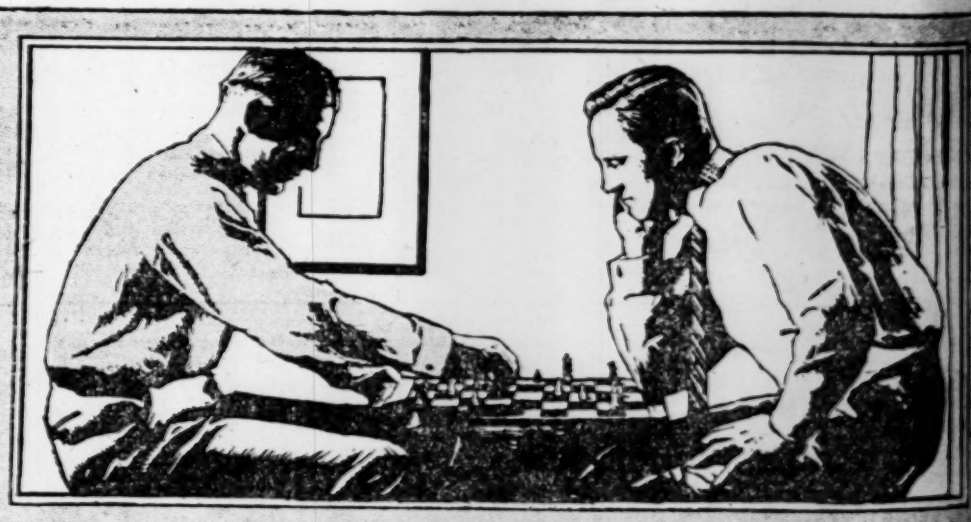
THIS is one of the most outstanding Overcoat values in the history of the Downstairs Store. Coming at this early period of the season, we are positive many men will select their Winter Overcoat from this unusual group Saturday.

These Overcoats are of standard makes—secured at a price that enables us to offer them far below their real value.

Each Coat is warm and comfortable, in plaid-back woolsens, rough chevrons, Scotch Oxfords, etc., in gray, brown Oxford and heathers. Sleeves and yoke lined with Skinner satin.

In the group are Ulsters, Ulsterettes, set-in sleeves, etc. Mostly with half belts. Sizes 33 to 44.

Seventh Street Elevators Direct to the Men's Downstairs Store Clothing Department.



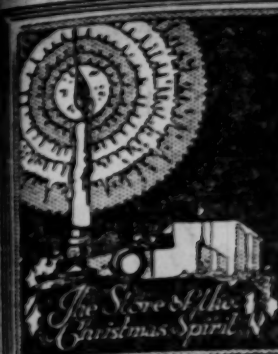
Saturday—A Great Sale of
English Broadcloth Shirts
Of the Better Kinds

A Practical Gift Offering

EVERY man contemplating the purchase of broadcloth Shirts will immediately recognize the advantage which this exceptional offering presents by securing two or three of these garments. It will be an excellent Shirt investment. If Shirts are on your gift list investigate this offering.

These Shirts are made by the Murray Shirt Co., of the finest Essex cloth and finished with ocean pearl buttons. Come in tan, blue and gray colors. Have wide double cuffs. The collar-attached styles have the band cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17.

On Sale in the Downstairs Store



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New striped effects in
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14 to 17.
Special..... \$2.4

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Adler's Gloves always
Christmas remembrance
boxes. They are of capes
Regular and cadet sizes.

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THESE are Bicycles
the price present
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and girls.

Boys' Boxing
No. 09—Made like
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and canvas palm. Set o

No. J 09—Made like
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Set of 4.....
No. J 09—A full-size
of mahogany colored l
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Nonpareil platform;
with lively leather pe

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Selling of COATS Advantage \$5

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Sale of Shirts 1.95

...Co. of the finest Essex
...ne in tan, blue and gray
...ed styles have the band



STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Saturday Suggestions for Christmas Shoppers

The Pre-Holiday Sale of Shirts

Features Extraordinary Values
in Three Low-Priced Groups

Fiber Striped Shirts

Special at
\$1.95



EXCELLENT combed
yarn, fiber striped madras
is used in tailoring these
Shirts. This fabric is noted
for its wearing qualities and
neat appearance. Choice of a
number of different striped
effects. All come in the neckband
style and are finished with
French cuffs. The sizes range
from 14 to 17.

English Broadcloth Shirts

New striped effects in various
colored effects printed on
splendid English broadcloth.
Neckband and collar attached
styles with French or barrel
cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17.
Special at.....

\$2.45

Cocoon imported English
broadcloth which is a very high
quality is used in the fashion-
ing of these Shirts. They are in
neckband and collar-attached
styles.
All sizes.
Special at.....

\$3.85

(Men's Furnishing Department—Main Floor.)

Important Savings in Men's Neckwear

\$1.00



All in Gift Boxes

A large and varied collection
of silk four-in-hands, fashioned
of imported and domestic silks.
Included in the patterns are
stripes and figured effects in
scores of colors and combina-
tions. All are packed in attrac-
tive Christmas boxes.

Adler Mocha Gloves, \$3.85

Adler's Gloves always make appropriate—and welcome—
Christmas remembrances. These are packed in holiday gift
boxes. They are of capeskin mocha in gray, with spear backs.
Regular and cadet sizes. (Main Floor.)

A Gift Suggestion— Men's Knitted Vests

\$5.00



FANCY all-wool knitted Vests
in tan, gray, brown and
blue. There are checked,
striped and plain effects; also
heather mixtures. All sizes
from 34 to 48, in stouts, slims
and regulars.

Men's heavy coat and pull-
over style sweaters in
all colors.....\$8.98
(Fourth Floor.)

Nonpareil Bicycles

\$29.95

THESE are Bicycles of the finer grade, and
the price presents an exceptional buying
opportunity. They're built especially for Stix,
Baer & Fuller to the highest standard of qual-
ity, workmanship and materials. Completely
equipped, and the finish and the enameling are
the best. May be had in roadster, racer and
motorbike styles in sizes for men, boys, women
and girls.



Boys' Boxing Gloves

No. 019—Made like a man's Glove,
in Corbett style, of good quality leather
and canvas palm. Set of 4.....

\$2.95

No. J 019—Made like a man's glove,
soft padding, good leather throughout.
Set of 4.....

\$3.95

No. J 019—A full-size man's Glove, made
of mahogany colored leather with rein-
forced seams. Set of 4.....

\$4.95

Soccer Footballs at \$2.25

A very special offering of genuine cow-
hide Footballs. English make. Eight-
piece style, strongly stitched. Best grade
bladder included.

Rugby Footballs at \$1.45

The price is unusual for a high-grade
cowhide Rugby Ball. English make; pure
gum bladder included.

Striking Bag Outfit, \$6.25

Nonpareil platform; well made and can be readily attached to wall or post. Complete
with lively leather pear-shaped bag. See demonstration Saturday, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
(Fourth Floor.)

See Our Other Announcements on Pages 5 and 10.



A Timely Gift Suggestion—

Kuppenheimer Overcoats

\$40 to \$100

SIMPLICITY, good lines, freedom, and easy grace are the characteristics of these
smart models from the House of Kuppenheimer. There are distinctive single and
double breasted models in plain and half-belted effects. Included are heavy and
medium weight coats, skilfully fashioned of superb woolen fabrics in a compre-
hensive array of patterns and shadings. One of these Overcoats would make a
practical and highly appreciated Christmas Gift.

Kuppenheimer Suits \$35.00 to \$65.00

Double-breasted models so much in vogue this sea-
son—and new single-breasted models are featured in
this collection. All are exceptionally attractive—
being correctly styled and perfectly tailored. The
fabrics are pure woolens and the colorings include
all which are popular—such as London lavender,
crushed blue and numerous others.

Overcoats

\$34.75 and \$39.75

Extraordinary values in students and young men's
Overcoats in single and double-breasted models.
Plain and belted backs, in a variety of patterns and
all with fancy plaid backs. Skilfully tailored of
chinchilla, vicuna and Irish frieze. These Overcoats
are exceedingly smart and serviceable.
(Fourth Floor.)

Gift Stationery, 69c



THIS white cabinet, attractively
decorated, containing both
writing paper and gold-edged
correspondence cards is particu-
larly acceptable as a gift. The
packets are neatly tied with rib-
bon. Specially priced for Satur-
day.

Highland Linen Gift Box, \$1.00

Decorated boxes, containing
one quire of Highland Linen
writing paper, in white or in
delicate tints; excellent
quality; ribbon tied.

School Bags of heavy waterproof leather-
ette, in colors; sturdily made.....98c
(Main Floor.)

Fitted Pencil Boxes At 49c

Fabrikoid cases, containing
pencils, pens, eraser, rubber,
drinking cup and other require-
ments. An excellent gift for a
schoolgirl.

Hat Boxes, \$12.00

A woman's Hatbox is sure
to please. The illustration
shows a very handsome black
enameled Box, silk lined
and with full leather bound
corners. Regulation Pull-
man size.
(Fourth Floor.)



Cedar Chests, \$14.95

We are offering just a
limited number of these
Chests at this price. They
are 42 inches long, well
made of selected Tennes-
see red cedar, dovetail
corners and have good
lock, key and casters.
(Sixth Floor.)

Candy Specials

Milk Chocolates, 39c; 2 Lbs., 75c
Nougats, Caramels, Nut Clusters, Marshmallows, Chips, Cocco-
nuts and Nougatines—covered with rich milk chocolate, and
packed assorted in 1-pound boxes.

Homemade Candies, 59c Box

Our own Homemade Candies, delicious and fresh from our
own candy kitchens—in 1/4-lb. boxes.

Hershey Kisses, 2 1/2-Lb. Box, \$1.25

A box especially packed for Christmas giving; it contains 2 1/2
pounds of tinfoil-wrapped Hershey Milk Chocolate Kisses.

Heavenly Hash, 39c Lb.

A delicious combination of milk chocolate, marshmallows and
nuts; a very popular confection, specially prepared.

Taffies and Brittles, 25c Lb.

Butterscotch, Peanut, Molasses, Puffed Rice and Coconut
assorted in 1-lb. boxes.

Christmas Candies

—should be ordered now. Churches, Sunday Schools, Kinder-
gartens, Lodges, and Institutions requiring large quantities of
Candies will find our prices unusually low.
(Candy Dept. and Square 9—Main Floor.)



The Boys' Own Store Features

Overcoats and Vest Suits

\$15.98

The Vest Suits—

THESE popular Suits are
tailored of sturdy woolen
fabrics in various patterns, in
powder blue, brown and tan.
They have vests, plain man-
ish coats and two pairs of
fully-lined knickers. Sizes
from 8 to 16 years.



The Overcoats—

Big, roomy Overcoats, tailored of all-wool fabrics, in brown,
tan, powder blue and heather mixtures. All have convertible
collars, muff pockets and are lined with plaid flannel. The sizes
range from 2 1/2 to 18 years.

Boys' Sheeplined Coats, \$7.98

One of these Coats would delight the energetic boy who spends
a great deal of time out of doors. Tailored of durable moleskin,
and lined with sheepskin. Made with side pockets and knitted
wristlets. Sizes from 13 to 18 years.
(Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

Tom Sawyer English Broadcloth Shirts and Blouses

\$2.00

TOM SAWYER Blouses and Shirts
will make suitable gifts for boys.
These garments are made of genuine
English broadcloth in the collar-at-
tached style, in tan, blue and white.
Blouses in sizes 6 to 16—shirts in sizes
12 1/2 to 14.



Tom Sawyer Blouses, 85c

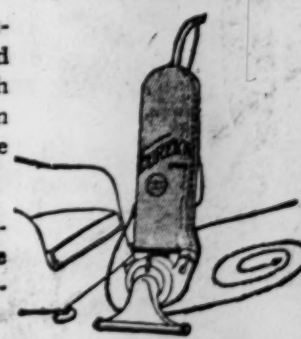
Collar-attached Blouses, tailored of striped percales, which are
guaranteed fast colors. All sizes from 8 to 16 years. These
Blouses are exceptionally interesting values.

Boys' Sports Belts, 59c

These Belts are made in bright contrasting colors. They are
neatly boxed—and are suitable for gift purposes.
Boys' Combination Boxes—tie and silk handkerchief, which
match, \$1.00.
Boys' Wool Golf Hose, \$1.00 to \$3.00.
(Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

Set of Attachments With Eureka Vacuum

A COMPLETE set of at-
tachments is included
without charge, with each
Eureka Electric Vacuum
Cleaner. This offer is made
for a limited time only.



Vacuum Cleaners make ac-
ceptable gifts and can now be
purchased on the deferred pay-
ment plan.
(Fifth Floor.)

Children's Gift Books

We list here a few of the good Books any
child would be the better for having:



Memoirs of a London Doll.....\$1.00
The Rose and the Ring.....\$1.00
Our Presidents—by James Morgan.....\$2.50
Taytay's Memoirs—by Effie.....\$1.25
Doctor Dolittle's Circus—Hugh Lofting.....\$2.50
Goin' on Fourteen—Irving Cobb.....\$2.50

Feats on the Fiord—new pictures by Artzybassell.....\$1.75
Robinson Crusoe—new pictures by Williamson.....\$1.75
Granny's Wonderful Chair—pictures by Emma Brock.....\$1.75
The Listening Child—new poetry selections by Margaret
Wilkinson.....\$1.75
At the Back of the North Wind—new pictures by Francis
Bedford.....\$1.75

The Little Library \$1.00 Each

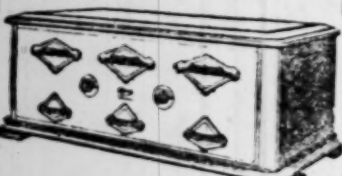
The Peep-Show Man.....\$1.00
Memoirs of a Donkey.....\$1.00
A Baby's Life of Jesus Christ.....\$1.00
Susanna's Auction.....\$1.00
Peter Pan Picture Book.....\$1.00
Goody Two Shoes.....\$1.00
Sing Song.....\$1.00
Adventures of a Brownie.....\$1.00

New Books for Older Children

The Island of the Mighty—Padraic Colum.....\$2.50
Kak, the Copper Eskimo—Stefansson.....\$2.00
The New Moon—by Meigs.....\$1.75
Laughing Last—by Jane Abbott.....\$1.75
Trail Blazers—Wade.....\$1.65
Plumed Snake Medicine—by Schultz.....\$2.00
Betty Jane of the House of Smiles.....\$1.00
Barrett.....\$1.50
(Second Floor.)

WURLITZER RADIO SPECIALS

Grebe Synchrophase



WORKS WONDERS

The new Grebe is a real wonder worker. In one evening a Grebe Synchrophase operated in this city brought in 34 stations, including such widely distant points as Calgary, Canada, and Mexico City, Los Angeles and Ottawa, Canada; also Havana, Cuba, on same wave length as Louisville when Louisville was broadcasting. Don't overlook this set if you are seeking the best.

To Victrola Owners

Install a Radio Set in your console Victrola. We have a splendid Freed-Eisenmann four-tube radio panel that will fit your Victrola and give splendid results—only

\$95.00

Special This Week

A Three-Tube Receiving Set, one of the most popular makes, complete with tubes, loud-speaker, batteries and antenna—six sets only—to first callers.

\$110.56

EASY TERMS **\$1** A WEEK AND UP ONLY

WURLITZER

1006 OLIVE ST.
East St. Louis Store,
106 Collinsville Avenue

**CHRISTMAS
CARDS-A BIG
ASSORTMENT**

**BUXTON & SKINNER
FOURTH NEAR OLIVE**

COURT TO OPPOSE KORETZ PAROLE IN 11 MONTHS

Judge Hopkins Says He Will Recommend That \$2,000,000 Swindler Serve Maximum Term.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Chief Justice Hopkins, who yesterday sentenced Leo Koretz, \$2,000,000 oil swindler, to prison for from one to 10 years and who, in the absence of any other recommendation, by good behavior, would win liberty in 11 months, announced today he would recommend to the Parole Board that the prisoner serve the maximum sentence. The maximum, under prison regulations, would be approximately six years.

Koretz is allowed to occupy a cot in the jail hospital here until he is taken to prison, which may not be until next week.

He is suffering from diabetes, and so is being held in the hospital until the official papers are completed for transfer to the penitentiary.

Koretz, who pleaded guilty to four indictments charging four variations of swindling, received three separate sentences for three separate offenses but the judge ruled that the sentences might run concurrently. A flaw was discovered at the last minute in a fourth indictment to which Koretz had pleaded guilty and Koretz was permitted to withdraw his plea.

The man who for 18 years victimized his friends and relatives so cleverly that they often begged him to accept their money for investment in the Bayano River project, which was not only devoid of oil but which he did not even own, took the sentence calmly.

The defense introduced two physicians, who had examined Koretz and who said that he is suffering from diabetes and is in a serious condition. The defense in its cross-examination of State witnesses asked if they knew that Koretz had turned over all his assets to authorities and that they would receive about 50 per cent of what they invested. They said they had read such statements in the newspapers.

GIVEN 10 YEARS FOR MURDER

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CARTHAGESVILLE, Mo., Dec. 3.—A jury in Circuit Court here today found Late Duncan, a laborer of New Madrid, guilty of the murder last August of Claude Kelly of New Madrid, and fixed his punishment at 10 years in the penitentiary. The jury deliberated almost two days and nights, having received the case at noon Wednesday. The case came here on a change of venue from New Madrid County Circuit Court. Kelly, a laborer, was killed in an argument about a woman. Duncan pleaded self-defense.

Sisters in Double Wedding.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
PANA, Ill., Dec. 3.—Lorena and Ethel Slifer, sisters of Assumption were brides in a double wedding today. Miss Lorena became Mrs. F. L. Inbernot, and Miss Ethel's husband is R. D. Hummel. Judge W. C. Kelley performed the ceremony.

SATURDAY
SPECIAL

Kline's

606-08 Washington Av.—Thru to Sixth St.

SATURDAY
SPECIAL

Hats of Silk Are Featured in...

BRILLIANT COLORS . . . PEAK CROWNS
. . . AND SMART TRIMS

\$5.00



Just the thing to top off your new Winter coat! Daring colors and piquant trims are the vogue.

NEW SWAGGER FELTS
ARE \$4.95

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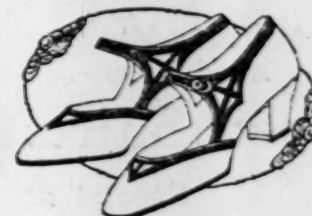
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EVENT

Drastic Shoe Reductions

ALL BROKEN LINES OF OUR
BETTER MAKES . . .

\$4.38

What an opportunity! We are offering wonderful Shoes from much higher-priced lines in new styles that are highly desirable.



A MODEST GIFT
Hudnut's Dainty Twin
COMPACTS, \$1.50

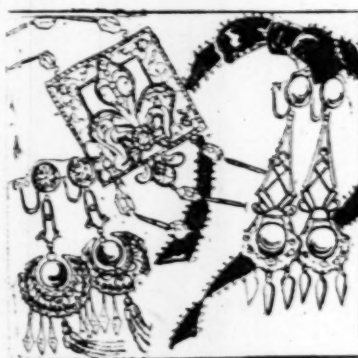
Kline's

(Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)
606-08 Washington Avenue—Thru to Sixth Street

A LOVELY GIFT
New Overblouses and
TUNICS, \$4.95

Gifts That Say "Merry Christmas"

Space permits the featuring of only a very few suggestions although every department is fairly bursting with gifts as lovely as they are sensible. Fur Coats, Jaquettes and Chokers are especially noticeable by their absence—there are some very special holiday values for those interested.



Jewelry Special!

For Saturday holiday shoppers we have arranged a wonderful special selling of a large selection of Beads in many new and original designs; also Earrings, Bracelets and Hair Ornaments. Every article has been substantially reduced from our own stocks.

\$1.95

KLINE'S—Main Floor.

Girls' Coats and Dresses



GIVE THE YOUNG MISS ONE OF THESE
SPECIAL VALUE COATS OR DRESSES

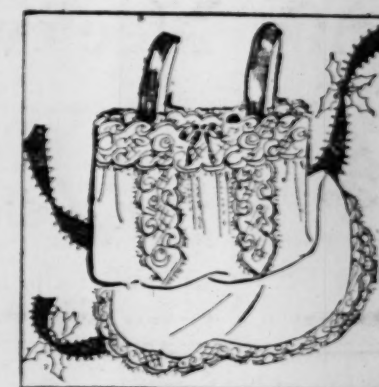
The Dresses at \$5.95 are a specially arranged group. Materials are silk and cloth fabrics in newest shades. 7 to 14.

\$5.95

The Coats at \$11.90 are really exceptional values. Materials are of wanted weaves in smart shades. All fur trimmed. 7 to 16.

\$10.00

KLINE'S—Mezzanine Floor.



Silk Lingerie

What lovely gifts these! Dainty Gowns of crepe de chine, Envelope Chemise and Step-Ins of crepe de chine and radium in flesh, peach, orchid and maize. There are attractive lace-trimmed styles or should you prefer there are many delightful tailored garments.

\$1.95

KLINE'S—Main Floor.

Kline's Basement

606-08 Washington Av.—Thru to Sixth St.

MARVELOUS VALUES

COATS

We have never seen such values at so low a price. Well styled Coats of Bolivia, Suede, Normandy, Poiré and Vel-suedes. Every Coat is attractively fur trimmed.

\$19

EXCELLENT VALUES DRESSES

This group consists of practically everything new and popular this season, modes for every need. Both cloth and silk materials in the rich, new shades of green, blue, tan, rust, also black.

\$8.88



Kline's—Basement



Silk Hosiery

These Hosiery are intended for attractive gift offerings. They are all perfect and may be had in chiffon and thread weights. They are all full-fashioned. Some are all silk, others have lisle tops. Colors include rose, taupe, gray, natural, peach, dune, black, gunmetal, beige, sunset, Air-dale and log cabin.

\$1.10 and \$1.95

KLINE'S—Main Floor.

Fur-Trimmed Coats



OFFERED AT THE LOWEST PRICE OF
THE CURRENT SEASON

When you consider the Kline reputation for Coat quality you will eagerly seize this chance to practice economy. The Coats are in wanted materials and colors and are attractively fur trimmed.

\$33.00

KLINE'S—Third Floor.



Petticoats-Bloomers

The Bloomers are of jersey silk with pleated and shirred cuffs. Ribbon trimmed and in a number of color combinations. Petticoats are in jersey, radium and tricot. Pleated and ruffled flounces. Embroidered and ribbon trimmed. Every wanted color. Lengths 31 to 36.

\$2.95

KLINE'S—Main Floor.

**CHRISTMAS
CARDS-A BIG
ASSORTMENT**

**BUXTON & SKINNER
FOURTH NEAR OLIVE**

Starck
Manufacturers
1018 OLIVE ST. (S. E. Cor. 11th)

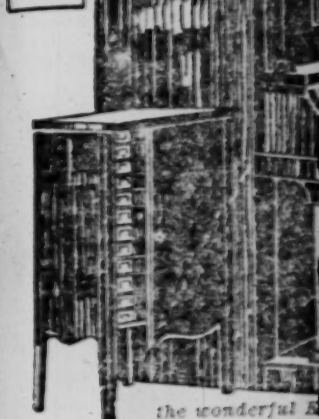
**PLAYER
Outfit**

\$2 a Week

No Money

We will accept your present piano, at full present cash value as part payment.

Compare With
Pianos
Else-
where
up to
\$600



FREE

New Starck Player-Pianos, \$29.00

Out-of-Town customers: Write

Piano direct from our factory

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SENATE CONTINUES DEBATE ON TWO SHOALS BILLS

Measures of Norris and Underwood Provide for U. S. Ownership, With Private or Federal Operation.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The Senate continued today its argument over the best solution for the Muscle Shoals problem.

"With two plans before it, that of Chairman Norris of the Senate Agriculture Committee, and one proposed by Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, the debate on the relative merits of the procedure suggested continued for a great part of the day.

Senator Harrison (Dem.), Mississippi, supporting the Underwood plan, declared President Coolidge, "in view of the expressions in his recent message, could not and would not veto the Underwood proposal."

The reverse was true, he said, as to the Norris bill. "His expressions of desire, first, for private initiative, but in the event of failure, for the Government to carry on the work," Harrison said, is written in the terms of the Underwood proposal and should meet the conditions of the law."

Two amendments to the Underwood bill were introduced by Senators McNary (Rep.) of Oregon and McKellar (Dem.) of Tennessee.

The McNary amendment would place the water-power development at Muscle Shoals under the Federal water-power act. The McKellar amendment would provide that Muscle Shoals be leased only to an American citizen or an American-owned corporation, and that if the corporation should fall into the hands of a foreign-controlled corporation, the property would revert to the Government.

Senator Norris prefers Government operation, while Senator Underwood favors private operation.

Fertilizer and Munitions. Notice has been given by Senator Smith (Dem.) of South Carolina that he would propose the drafting of a measure incorporating features of both the Underwood and Norris plans.

The Muscle Shoals question also came up in the House yesterday when Representative Kearns (Rep.) of Ohio introduced a joint resolution indorsing the appointment of a congressional committee to report a "feasible plan" for the utilization of the property. A somewhat similar resolution was introduced a few days ago by Representative Wright (Dem.) of Georgia, and both are regarded as being in line with the President's recommendation on the subject in his message to Congress.

Before debate started in the Senate, Senator Bruce (Dem.) of Maryland offered an amendment to the Norris bill providing for the appointment of officials to operate Muscle Shoals, solely on merit and not from political motives and that employees be subject to civil service regulations.

To Offer Compromise. Under his bill, Norris declared, all the power available on the river would be developed and experimentation in fertilizer manufacture would be started. If a suitable fertilizer process should be developed, he said, the measure would allow the production of all the fertilizer that could be sold.

Senator Underwood said the chief differences between his proposal and the Norris bill were that the latter was primarily a super-power bill while his was fundamentally a fertilizer and munitions measure. He declared Muscle Shoals was intended to be used for national defense, and argued that this meant the production of nitrogen for explosives in time of war and for fertilizer in time of peace.

**Stops itching—
Reduces irritation
Clears away skin
trouble**

If you have today a spot of eczema, or irritation on your skin, cleanse the affected part by bathing with Resinol Soap, then smooth in gently with the fingers a coating of Resinol Ointment. One application frequently stops the itching completely because the special soothing healing properties of Resinol help it to sink deep into the pores where the trouble really lies and restore a normal condition.

Use Resinol Soap daily for your toilet and bath. It helps to keep the skin healthy. Ask your druggist.

RESINOL

Neckwear
\$3.50 Value... \$2.95

Collar and Cuff Sets of real Irish and real flax lace—in daintiest patterns; each set in gift box. Main Floor



St. Louis' Dominant Christmas Store FAMOUS - BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted. See Our Other Announcements on Pages 15, 16 and 26



Engraved Cards
For Personal Greetings

—should be ordered at once. Come in and select the style you prefer from our wide assortment. Your calling card plate can be used. Main Floor

Saturday—Our Misses' Style Shop Will Further Impress With Its Dominant Value-Giving, Offering

Misses' Smart Winter Coats

—Specially Purchased Garments in Two Unusual Groups—At

\$39.75 and \$49.75

Always are the newest styles for youthful figures displayed in our Misses' Style Shop—and always are they St. Louis' dominant values. But in this specially purchased group of Coats is a choice highly remarkable, presenting savings that will surely be appreciated just before Christmas. Wide choice of the approved wrap and slightly flared models of the most fashionable fabrics—beautiful furs being used on collars, cuffs and in border effects. Winter's smartest colors are represented and the sizes are 14 to 20.

Other Misses' Coats, priced, \$24 to \$195.

Lovely Frocks for Misses

—Including Many Imported Models—Priced

\$14.75 and \$24.00

Scores of authentic models—for street, sports, afternoon and after-dinner occasions; the tailored Frocks are of tulle and other cloths, while the dressier styles are developed of satin, Georgette, faille, tulle-back velvet, Canton and crepe satin. Many shades and trimmings. Sizes 14 to 20.

Other Misses' Frocks, \$12.75 to \$195.



Extreme Values in
'Kerchiefs

For Men and Women

Special—
Box of 3... \$1

Just the type of dainty Handkerchiefs most sought for Christmas tokens are these, and the values are truly exceptional.

For Women—Fine sheer linen kinds with beautifully embroidered corners; 3 different designs in each box.

For Men—Initialed kinds of white cambric with white or colored striped or woven hem-stitched hems. Main Floor

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Saturday—Choose From These Groups If Contemplating Acceptable and

Practical Gifts for Girls

Cloth Coats

\$16.50 to \$85 Values

At Savings
Of... 1/3

Sample Coats that are youthfully smart—sports and dressy models, mostly one of a kind: of Bolivia, suede, broadcloth and Kasha plaids, some with lovely fur collars and cuffs. A variety of colors and unusual choice for girls of 10 to 14.

Girls' and Juniors' Frocks

A comprehensive assortment of girlish styles, tailored models of jersey, flannel and tweeds and dressy frocks of satin, crepe de chine, faille and cotton velvet. Sizes 6 to 17. Priced... \$15 to \$45



Fur Coats

—Make Handsome Gifts—at
\$37.50 to \$225

What girl would not love to receive one of these beautiful Fur Coats? There are models of natural or brown cone, squirrel, muskrat, white cone, leopard cat or caracul—many combining two kinds of fur and all exquisitely lined. Sizes 8 to 16.

Girls' Tweed Knickers

—wanted in so many occasions and therefore most appropriate for Christmas giving; of brown or gray tweed mixtures—all neatly tailored. Sizes 8 to 16. Splendid values at... \$2.95

On Christmas, Give the Tots

Sweater Suits

\$10.95 Value \$7.85
Saturday ...

Warm little brushed wool outfits consisting of double-breasted sweaters, drawer-style leggings, cap and mittens; in buff, brown and Copenhagen shades—remembrances you should consider. Sizes 2 to 5.

Children's Headwear

Fancy Hats and Bonnets of velvet, crepe de chine or Georgette, also semi-tailored styles of various cloths. For tots of 1 to 6. Choice at savings of... 1/2



Give These Lovely

\$16.50 Kimonos

\$13.95

There are only 100 of these beautiful imported Japanese Kimonos, all padded, silk-lined and with gorgeous hand-embroidered floral designs; choice of flesh, light blue, Copenhagen, black, and navy shades—all Kimonos with Japanese sleeves. Third Floor



Special! For Those "Giving"

Silk Garments

\$6.95 to \$7.95 Values

\$5.95

Crepe de chine step-ins with elaborate trimmings, crepe satin bloomers with embroidered net bands; many crepe satin chemises to match bloomers or step-ins and crepe de chine gowns beautifully trimmed. Many shades and sizes 26 to 44. Ideal for gifts. Third Floor



Before Christmas, Save On Your

Children's Shoes

\$3.50 and \$4 Values \$2.95
Saturday ...



Laced Shoes of tan Russia calf, gum-metal or patent leather; medium toe lasts, spring heels, and sizes 8 1/2 to 11. Second Floor

A Delicious Saturday "Special"—Selected
Assorted Candies



80c Value, the Lb.... **49c**
2 Lbs. for 95c

It would be hard to say which of the kinds in this assortment is the most luscious—milk chocolate cherries, newtons, Roman nougat, tutti-frutti pudding, pecan nougat rolls, coconut layer caramels and coconut pecan croquettes.

Assorted Chocolates 60c Value, Pound **39c**
2 Lbs. 75c

Nut and hard centers, covered with a sweet chocolate. An appetizing variety.

Filled Hard Candies 60c Value, Pound **40c**
Crisp satin-finished Hard Candies with many kinds of centers. Various colors and flavors.

Chocolate Stars 60c Value, Pound **30c**
Pure wholesome star-shaped sweets, made of delicious milk chocolate. Very fresh.

"Par Excellence" Chocolates and Bonbons are an assortment favored by our most particular patrons. Pound \$1.00
Candy Shop—Main Floor

'6 Surety-Six '6
SHOES FOR YOUNG WOMEN

The Utmost in Value at \$6 a Pair

Those who want smartly styled holiday footwear at a very popular price will choose from "Surety-Six" styles with extreme satisfaction. Sold here exclusively. The following are among the newest modes.



Silver Brocades Style No. 2954, illustrated above; instep straps of silver brocade; same in gold cloth, style 3055.

Tailored Pumps Style No. 4124, illustrated above; of tan Russia, patent or black calf; perforated; also black satin.

The "Glencoe" No. 3188 Illustrated above is this smart style; of patent with dull trimmings, black satin, with patent or black or brown suede with leather trimmings.

The "Chase" No. 7007 A black satin ankle strap, illustrated above; with Gypsy vamp and Cuban Louis heel; A, B and C widths. Second Floor

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The Widest Choice of Women's
Gift Hosiery

—Excellent Values, Pair. **\$1.95**

Chiffon, medium and heavy weight Hosiery of such splendid makes as "Surety," "McCallum" and "Ginger." Hosiery of silk tops and black and prevailing colors. A remarkable Christmas choice.

"Surety" Sheer Hose, \$1.50

Of pure thread silk, full fashioned, with tops and in black and twenty colors; an ideal style of gift Hosiery and a splendid value. Gift box. Main Floor



Victrolas
—for
Gifts

All up-to-date and complete sets of records. Easy terms if desired. Sixth Floor



Very Smart Are
Silk Vanity
Purses
Priced Each
\$5.95

No smarter style has been introduced this season than the Vanity Purse of imported quard silk, with a distinct initial of sterling silver. One is fitted with mirror, coin purse—and has strap back or at top.

A gift suggestion for the woman or miss who takes pride in modish accessories. Main Floor

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Monogrammed
Cards

25 With Envelope

\$2.75

Cards that, more beautiful than the ordinary kind, express your personal Christmas greetings to your friends. With name, monogram and reverse, as illustrated.

Other distinctive styles in personal greeting Cards, 25 for \$1.45. Main Floor

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Watches

Styles for Women
Over the moment when the ex-
istence of these groups is unwrapped
timepieces that will serve "her"
daintiness will be a constant de-
mand—each remarkable for extreme



\$12.50 Watches
\$8.95
Small white gold-filled cases
in octagon or tonneau shape;
15-jewel movements.

\$8.50 Watches, \$6.95
Octagon, tonneau or cushion
style white gold-filled cases
with 11-jewel movements.



\$15 Watches
\$10
Cushion, octagon or tonneau
cases of 14-k. solid white
gold with 15-jewel move-
ments.

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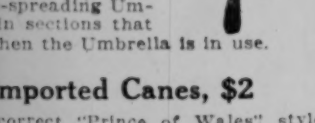
Umbrellas

Saturday... \$7.50
These practical arm-
strong canes and in-
de-spreading Um-
brellas in sections that
when the Umbrella is in use.

Imported Canes, \$2
A correct "Prince of Wales" style—
of various woods, with Cape Horn or
Main Floor

Shoes

Value at \$6 a Pair
A stylish holiday footwear at a very
low "Surety-Six" styles with ex-
clusive. The following are



Tailored Pumps
Style No. 4134. Illustrated
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\$1.25 Curlers
88c
A gift that "big sister" would
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Electric Curling Irons with
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Visit the
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Wishes You
Happy Christmas
Send Luck and Joy
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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reikamp

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Our Toy Shop Will Help You Give Kiddies a Joyful Christmas—Bring Them to

Meet Santa Here Saturday
While You "Fill Their Stockings" From Many Very Specially Priced Offerings

Visit the Dollar Circus
—with funny clowns, ringmasters and many performers. The circus manager's display of Toys each priced \$1—is a remarkable assortment for gift choosing.

\$4.95 Scooters
Sidewalk Scooters with steel frame, rubber-tired steel disc wheels and red foot board. \$3.89

\$5 Erectors
Gilbert's make Erector sets: steel construction toys that will build many models. \$3.98

\$8.95 Mama Dolls
Erfanbee make Mama Dolls with composition head, arms and legs, moving eyes and head, excellent wigs. \$6.95

The Trip Through Fairyland
—is an exciting one that little tots will be overjoyed to make. At the end of the path is Santa himself. To all with 25c ticket he will present a surprise package.

Santa's Choice of Practical Gifts—Bridge Lamps
Excellent Values, Complete at **\$17.50**

Ideal for gifts are these attractive Bridge Lamps. Piped and weighted, gracefully turned, substantially finished in antique gold and polychrome effects with Georgette-covered shades in a variety of shapes and colors.

Three Other "Gift Groups"
Bridge and Junior Lamps, complete. \$22.50
Bridge and Junior Lamps, complete. \$35.00
Junior Lamps, Base and Shade. \$42.50

Saturday—Choose Gifts of Smoking Stands
—a Splendid Value at **\$1.69**

Heavy metal stands of artistic design, finished in dull gold and black; complete with large glass ash trays, match holder and 3 cigar rests; the gift a smoker always likes, and this is an attractive style.

\$5.50 Stands
Mahogany-finished Smoking Stands, all with drawer and a heavy glass tray. Special at \$3.95

\$9 Cabinets
Smokers' Cabinets with mahogany finish, glass tray, drawer and large humidifier. Special at \$6.95

The Sporting Goods Section Offers an Interesting Group of Christmas Gifts for Sportsmen
Striking Bags, Footballs, Bicycles, Skates and Other Appropriate Presents

Bag Outfits
Complete Outfit. \$6.45
"Nonpareil" wall type platform with pear-shaped Striking Bag and book of instructions.

Tubular Skates
Shoes. \$6.95
Wright & Dittson Skate-and-shoe Outfits in racer or hockey style. In all sizes.

Special Demonstration
The Clark Dual World's Championship Bag Punchers will give special demonstrations each day of the Nonpareil Wall-type Platform Striking Bag. Demonstrations at intervals between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. Sporting Goods Section.

Ball-bearing Skates for boys and girls, adjustable from 8 to 10½ inches. \$1.45

Boys' Delight Outfits. \$6.50
Adjustable 54-inch Trapezes. \$1.50
Swinging Rings, 5-inch size. \$2.50
Home Gymnasium Outfits. \$14.95

Davis Bicycles
\$32 to \$35 Values at \$29.95
Racers and Roadsters of a nationally known make—scientifically constructed from the best materials. Choose now for Christmas.

Football for Boys
Soccer 2 SK. \$1.50 val. \$1.45
3 SK. \$2.25 val. \$1.45
4 SK. \$2.50 val. \$1.55
5 SK. \$3.50 val. \$2.45
6 SK. \$5.00 val. \$3.95
7 SK. \$8.50 val. \$6.05

Rugby
3 RK. \$1.50 val. \$1.45
4 RK. \$2.00 val. \$1.45
5 RK. \$3.00 val. \$1.98
6 RK. \$2.50 val. \$2.49
7 RK. \$6.50 val. \$4.95

Christmas Gifts Which Will Give Pleasure Throughout the Year!

Christmas Radio Set "Specials"

Any Set Will Be Sold on the Deferred Payment Plan if You so Desire

Claratone Sets
\$145 Value, \$119.95 Complete.

Efficient five-tube Sets that cut out local interference and faithfully bring in long distances. Included are tubes, batteries, etc.

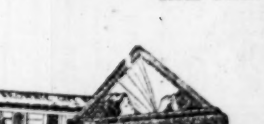
\$150 Paragon 3-Tube Sets, complete. \$95
\$250 C and W Teledyne Consoles, complete. \$149.75
\$175 Hatfield 4-Tube Sets, complete. \$135
\$185 Thompson Neutrodyne 5-Tube Sets, complete. \$155
\$210 Moon 4-Tube Sets, complete. \$135
\$225 Lydradion 6-Tube Loop Sets, complete. \$95
\$150 Freshman Masterpiece 5-Tube Sets, complete. \$95
\$165 C and W Teledyne Cabinets, 4 Tubes, complete. \$98
\$275 Howard 5-Tube Neutrodyne Sets, complete. \$225
\$150 Wright 5-Tube Sets. \$95

Freed-Eisemann NR-6
\$225 Sets, \$185 Complete.

These Sets cut out local interference and "catch" long distances. They are easy to log. Installed complete in your home. NR-6 priced without equipment, \$150.

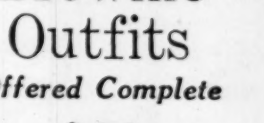
ZR-4 Transcontinental 3-Tube Sets, complete. \$149.75
Crosley 2-Tube Portable Sets, complete. \$59
\$225 Thermodyne 6-Tube Sets. \$195
Lydradion 6-Tube Loop Sets, \$220 value, for \$135
\$125 Crosley Tridyne 3-Tube Sets, complete. \$98
\$190 Lyton 6-Tube Portable Sets, complete. \$125
\$150 Stewart Reflex Sets, complete. \$125
\$160 Day Fan, 4-Tube Sets, complete. \$140

Pianos
—Best
Kinds
Unexcelled
choice of
upright,
grand and
reproducing
pianos. If
desired.
Sixth Floor.



Excellent Gifts Are
Brownie
Outfits
Offered Complete
\$5
Each Outfit includes a No. 2
Brownie Camera, 2 rolls of Ko-
dak film, Kodak portrait at-
tachment, 50 leaf album, photo
paste and instructions.

Eastman Cameras
No. 2 Box Camera, which take
pictures 2½x3¼ inches in size.
\$2.50 value, \$1.89
special. Main Floor



Very Attractive
Rosaries
\$1.25 Value... 75c
Silver-plated Locketts in 1-inch
size, containing a dainty 10-inch
Rosary, and suspended on a
chain from a finger ring.

\$3.75 Rosaries
—of sterling silver; packed in a
case lined with moire; \$2.75
special Saturday.

\$6.75 Rosaries
Men's Vest-Pocket Prayer
Books, special. \$5.00
Main Floor



For Kiddies—
Bubble
Books
\$1 Value, Each
29c
These are the celebrated
Bubble Books that sing and talk! Each
one contains three phonograph
records of nursery rhymes, and
is full of Mother Goose jingles
as well. Little tots find them
the greatest fun imaginable.

In twelve different, num-
bered 1 to 12 respectively.
Sixth Floor



Electric Heater
Just the thing for that
cold room. 17-in. high,
12-in. capacity bowl.
Guaranteed complete.
\$3.95

Electric Waffle Iron
Serve delicious, piping hot
waffles made right at the
table. Even electric heat
applied to both top and
bottom at same time. In-
sures perfect results every
time. Aluminum plates re-
quire no greasing—no
smoke or fumes. Plates
are just the right thick-
ness. Heat controls de-
lightful. Makes blis-
sing hot short cake, French
toast, omelets, etc.
Complete and guar-
anteed special.
\$6.75

MARVEL VIOLET RAY MACHINES, \$7.50 COMPLETE
COMPLETE RADIO SETS ON TIME PAYMENTS
FAMOUS STEINITE TUBE SET
CABINET CRYSTAL SET
Size 10x5
Inches. \$4.00
Complete with 2 pairs
double band
sets.
RCA (RCAI),
serial, im-
proved
standard
type, a real
value.
\$9.95
Special
10-15 Tube Radio—Constructed to Use
Two Sets of Phones.

R. C. A. RADIOLA III
2-TUBE SET
Complete with tubes,
phones, aerial equipment
and batteries.
R. C. A. RADIOLA III-A
4-Tube set.
Complete with tubes, phones,
aerial equipment and batteries.
\$65

Coast to Coast 6-Tube Portable Radiola
SUPER-HETERODYNE
No aerial or ground required
Immediate
Delivery
SOLD ON
TIME
PAYMENTS

With genuine R. C. A.
tubes, fresh batteries and
Manhattan Jr. loud speak-
er, ready to listen in.

FOR THIS
SALE
\$234
Complete

ST. LOUIS FIRM NOT ONE
MENTIONED IN RUF INVENTORY
Officers of Peerless Weatherstrip
and Caulking Co. Say It Is Not Con-
nected With Concern Referred to.

A news article in the Post-Dis-
patch last Friday regarding an in-
ventory of the estate of Frank A.
Ruf referred to 23 items listed at
\$1 each, among them an inter-
est in the Peerless Weatherstrip and
Caulking Co.

Officials of the Peerless Weather-
strip and Caulking Co., 3134
Olive street, state their firm has no
connection in any manner with the
firm in which Ruf was interested.

BRITAIN RESPECTS EGYPT'S
RIGHTS, BALDWIN DECLARES
Premier Denies His Government
Seeks to Restore Pro-
tectorate.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Dec. 5.—Premier
Baldwin, in a speech at Liberty
Hall last night declared that noth-
ing was further from the truth
than to say that the British Gov-
ernment sought to take advantage
of the murder of Sir Lee Stack in
order to restore the protectorate
in Egypt or undermine the rights
of the Egyptian Government.

"Reservations made when inde-
pendence was granted," said the
Premier, "remain open to negotia-
tions, subject to the essential con-
siderations that foreign interests
must be protected and communi-
cations kept secure, while our ob-
ligations and pledges to Sudan de-
mand that we should respect the
rights of the Sudanese no less than
those of the Egyptians. But none
of these considerations are incom-
patible with a mutual settlement
which we hope and believe will be
secured."

CHRONIC COUGHS AND PERSISTENT COLDS
lead to serious lung trouble. You can
stop them now with Cromulsion, an
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cognized by the medical fraternity as the
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crocote, other healing elements which
soothe and heal the inflamed mem-
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flammation, while the crocote goes on
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bronchitis and other forms of throat
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See Our Other Announcements on Pages 14, 15 and 26

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Saturday—You May Very Profitably Supply Needs in New Holiday



Silk Dresses

—For Street, Afternoon and Evening

Excellent Value at...

\$15.75

Here is a most unusual choice of new and smart Silk Dresses—some plain, others displaying the newest trimming ideas. Each Dress represents a splendid saving and you have choice of satin Canton, flat crepe and Canton crepe models. If contemplating the selection of a new Dress before Christmas, be sure to inspect this group.

Some Dresses are fur trimmed and there are black models as well as choice of the new high shades.

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Women's Gloves

\$1.45 Value for...

Washable chamois-suede fabric Gauntlets with fancy short cuff. All sizes various colors.

Children's \$1 and \$1.25 Kid Gloves and Fur-top Mitts.....69c

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Seconds of \$5 to \$6.50 Grades.....\$2.98

Women's colored silk umbrellas, with imitation amber tops and stub ends. Various handles. Colors are navy, green and lavender.

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\$3.50 to \$4.50 Values.....\$2.98

Leather purses fitted with mirror and coin purse. In colors of tan, brown, gray and black. 1000 in the lot.

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Unusual Pre-Holiday Savings in

Women's Hats

\$4 and \$5 Values

Choice Saturday...

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Several hundred Hats in Winter styles that you will greatly admire; models of taffeta or satin with trimmings of flowers, various kinds of feathers and fancy ornaments. Black and colored Hats in this exceptional group.

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A Special Group for Those Choosing Gifts of

Corduroy Robes

\$8 and \$9 Values

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\$5.95



Bright-colored Robes of plain or fancy corduroy in front-fastening or side-button styles; some Robes are braided or fancy stitched and all are lined with Secco silk, a silk-and-cotton fabric. An ideal gift selection.

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Here's an Opportunity for Parents—Boys' Two-Pants

Suits and Overcoats

—Also Mackinaws Offered at.....

\$9.85



Suits with extra knickers are of cheviot, cassimere and tweed materials. Sports and pleated Coats with all-around belt. Choice of light and dark colors. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Overcoats of chinchilla and cheviot overcoats in plain colors and dark mixtures. Well lined. Sizes 2 1/2 to 18 years.

Mackinaws of splendid grade warm mackinaw cloth in plain colors and plaid patterns. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Suits —and Overcoats for boys. Suits with extra knickers, in sizes 7 to 15 years. Overcoats in sizes 2 1/2 to 18 years.....\$7.75

Play Suits —Cowboy suits for boys; of good grade khaki drill. Neatly trimmed. Sizes 4 to 14 years.....\$2.25

Hats & Caps —for boys. Various styles and materials. Sizes 5 1/4 to 7 1/2. Priced at.....98c to \$1.95

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The Basement Economy Store's Feature Group of

Suits and Overcoats

Offering Choice at

\$23.85



Suits for men and young men are tailored of all-wool materials in the newest colors, patterns and styles. Included is the new English straight-line style with wide trousers and blunt vest. Sizes 18 years to 48 stout. Overcoats of all-wool plaid-back cheviot overcoating in light and dark colors. Double-breasted style with all-around belt. Sizes 32 to 42 chest.

Two-Trouser Suits and Overcoats

Offered at.....\$18

Men's and young men's Two-Trouser Suits of durable fabrics in stripes, checked, plaid and mixed patterns. Popular styles and colors. Sizes 18 years to 42 chest. Overcoats of cheviot which has plaid back. In plain colors and mixtures. Sizes 34 to 44 chest.

Men's and Young Men's Trousers, \$1.55

Basement Economy Store

Select Gifts From These

Men's Shirts

\$1.50 to \$1.69 Values.....\$1.29

Negligee Shirts of fiber-striped woven madras, cotton pique and heavy corded madras in plain, colors, stripes and plaid. With pre-shrunk neckbands and soft turn-back cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17, but not in every pattern.

Men's Gloves Lined and unlined. Gloves of tan, gray, brown and black. Laced and suede. Sizes 7 1/2 to 9 1/2. \$2.00 value.....\$1.65

Belt and Buckle Men's English saddle leather belt with sterling front cut-out initial buckle. In gift box. Size 38 to 42. Special value.....95c

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A Very Timely and Special Offering of

Scarf Sets

Special Value.....\$1.95

Children's and misses' Cap and Scarf sets of angora. The scarf is in full size with wool fringed ends. Choice of the bright and dark shades.

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Chocolate-Covered Caramels

Reg. 40c lb. 29c

Delicious caramel centers covered with sweet chocolate.

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Black Walnut Layer Cakes

Three large layers, filled and covered with new crop black walnuts and chocolate fudge icing. Regularly 75c. Saturday.....60c

See Fig. 100111. 25c

Basement Bakery

Specially Priced—

Girls' Coats

\$12.50 Value

\$9.95



200 smartly fashioned Coats of velour, blocked polair, Astrakhan cloth and novelty plaids. In light and dark shades as well as "cranberry." Sizes 2 to 14 years.

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For Women—Our Special

Comfort Shoes

Offered \$3.79 at.....

Brown and black kid Oxfords with flexible soles and Cuban heels with rubber taps. Steel arch support in shank. Sizes 5 to 9.

Men's High Shoes Black and brown calf lace and slusher style shoes. Sizes 6 to 11 in one style.

Girls' School Shoes Of mahogany calf lace with field mouse tops and fancy collar. Rubber heels. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7.

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U. S. TAXES IN ST. LOUIS DISTRICT \$50,547,000

An Increase of \$2,078,000 Over the Fiscal Year of 1923.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Missouri's paid \$68,794,487.92 into the Federal Treasury during the fiscal year ending June 30, as income and miscellaneous taxes, an increase of \$2,852,950.58 over the fiscal year 1923, according to the annual report today of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Income taxes for the entire State in 1924 amounted to \$44,116,426.16, while miscellaneous taxes made the remaining \$24,678,077.82 of the total.

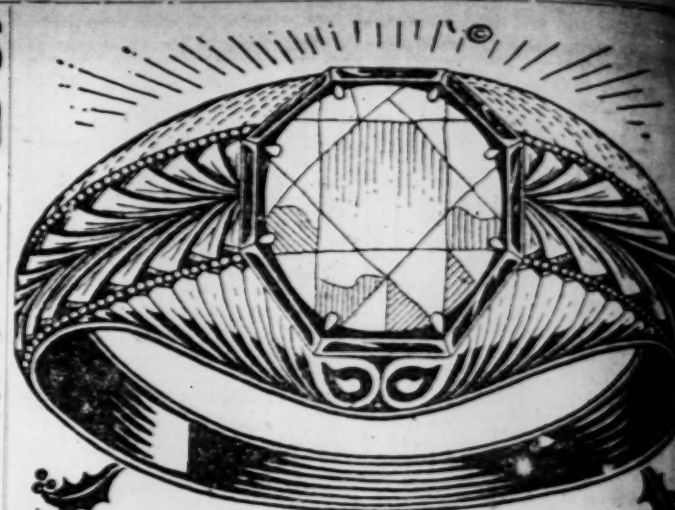
The First (St. Louis) District paid \$50,547,573.31 during the past year in income and general taxes, an increase of \$2,078,218.78 over 1923, when the total for the district was \$48,469,354.53.

The Sixth (Kansas City) District turned in total receipts amounting to \$18,246,814.61 in 1924 against \$17,473,982.51 in 1923.

The 1924 figures for Illinois were: Income tax, \$141,072,908.68; miscellaneous special taxes, \$52,768,713.46; total, \$234,840,722.14.

Embezzler Gets Four Years.

By the Associated Press. SHAWNEE, Ok., Dec. 2.—M. W. Christner, former secretary of the failed Conservative Loan and Investment Co., was sentenced to four years in the State penitentiary by Judge L. G. Pittman yesterday following his conviction of embezzlement of \$988 of the institution's funds. The company was one of the oldest of its kind in the State and had investors in all parts of the United States.



Diamonds pay Next Year

FREE! WM. ROGERS 26-PC. TABLEWARE SET

A Diamond is one of the greatest Christmas gifts, and is appreciated by anyone. It is absolutely perfect and is set in an 18-k. green or white gold basket mounting. Just pay a little down, your credit is good.

\$1 Down \$37.50 \$1 Week

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1002 OLIVE ST.

The Unusual in Jewelry

Novelties for Christmas Giving That Add Distinction to the Costume

Beautiful new enamel, on sterling silver, in plain or dainty flower designs; in Cuff Pins, Bar Pins, Lingerie Sets, Dorines, Compacts, etc. \$1.00 to \$25.00

Choker Necklaces in plain and cut styles in crystal, in amber, red, blue and shades to harmonize with the newest costume colors. \$1.00 to \$10.00

Choker Necklaces in imitation pearl and pastel tints. \$1.50 to \$15.00
Choker Necklaces in plated gold, silver and filigree. \$2.95 to \$10.00

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Distinctive Coats

Find Their Way to Moderate Pricing

\$44

As the season advances, many Coats from higher-priced groups find their way to the group of fur-trimmed Winter Coats popularly priced at \$44. Here selection is so varied, that you can be satisfied on every point—fabric, color, fur trimming, style, lining—and be sure that your choice is individual as well as a splendid value.

Smart Sport Coats

Values to \$29.50

\$18

Swagger Topcoats for sport and utility wear, in plaids, polaires, blocked chinchillas and other smart sport Coatings. Sizes for women and misses.

Tailored Suits

Greatly Underpriced

\$21.75

Navy twill cords, smartly and conservatively styled, provide an excellent investment in smart tailors to wear the year round.

Charming Frocks

Values Up to \$19.50

\$22.50

Street, sport, afternoon, dinner and evening Frocks, in authentic modes, in the popular silk and cloth fabrics of the season.

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You save money by buying on the second floor. We Trust All Honest People.

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East Town East Town

CASH OR CREDIT \$19.85

Has leveled movement, latest engraved 18-k. white gold-filled case with jeweled crown. Fully guaranteed.

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CHILDREN'S F Tan Calf or Black seams—No hurt.

Sizes 2 to 5 Special \$2.25

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BOYS' SCHOOL Brown Grain Leather Last. Sturdy \$3.35

Sizes 11 to 2—Special

Bring the Children Louis' Foremost wear. For three getting the growing

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Brandt's FOOTWEAR

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CHILDREN'S FOOT-FORM SHOES. Tan Calf or Black Calf. No tacks—No seams—No hurt. Ideal for school or play.

Sizes 2 to 5 Special	Sizes 5 to 8 Special	Sizes 8 1/2 to 11 Special
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Misses' Oxfords—Special

"Little Queen" Make. Tan Calf or Patent. Stylish and Sturdy. Sizes 11 1/2 to 2 at.....

\$4

Extra Wear in Every Pair



Special!

BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES. High-grade Brown Grain Leather. Genuine Munson Last. Sturdy Oak Soles. Real Welt.

Sizes 11 to 2—Special	Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2—Special
\$3.35	\$3.65

Bring the Children to Brandt's for St. Louis' Foremost Values in Quality Footwear. For three generations, properly fitting the growing foot.

SOUVENIR BALLOONS.

BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU OF KANSAS CITY UNDER INQUIRY

Cited by Kansas Banking Department to Explain \$10 Membership Campaign.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 5.—The Better Business Bureau of Kansas City organized, as are the Better Business Bureaus in St. Louis and other cities, to investigate stock promotion schemes, "blue sky" promotions and to warn investors against "get-rich-quick" plans, has come under investigation itself by the "Blue Sky" division of the Kansas Banking Department.

George M. Husser, manager of the Kansas City Bureau, recently started a campaign to enrol bankers and business men in small towns near Kansas City, both in Kansas and Missouri, in the bureau at \$10 a membership. Such bureaus are supported by contributions and memberships.

The Missouri "Blue Sky" department yesterday received the following letter from P. C. Reising, special assistant in the "Blue Sky" division of the Kansas Banking Department:

"I wish you would advise this department as early as convenient, whether or not the Better Business Bureau of Kansas City ever applied to your office for a permit to sell certificates of membership in the State of Missouri."

Deputy Finance Commissioner Hurwitz, in charge of the division, also was notified from Kansas City that the Kansas City bureau had been cited by the Kansas department to show cause Dec. 5, at Topeka, why it had been selling membership certificates in Kansas without a permit from the State of Kansas.

Hurwitz advised the Kansas department that, inasmuch as the bureau had aided the Missouri department in breaking up numerous stock promotions, it was "anti-blue sky" rather than "blue sky" in nature.

Plans Gasoline Tax in Ontario.

By the Associated Press.

TORONTO, Dec. 5.—George S. Henry, Ontario Minister of Highways, said today that it was his intention to submit a bill to the next Legislature for the imposition of a gasoline tax, probably 2 cents a gallon. The plan would confine the taxation to motorists and would provide for rebates to farmers and manufacturing concerns using gasoline for other than vehicular purposes.

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The last day—and the most interesting in many ways. Hundreds of late arrivals have freshened up every group. New and extraordinary price concessions have been made. Selection in every department will be absolutely marvelous.

If you would save 25% to 75% on magnificent samples—SHOP TODAY. After 6 P. M. Saturday these economies will be past history! No other store offers such opportunities for Saturday—Make Garland's your headquarters for all your apparel shopping.

Wonderful Sample Coats

Featuring Misses', Women's and Extra Sizes at

\$59
\$79
\$99

Hundreds of new sample Coats have been added for Saturday to make this "last day" a long-remembered event to the great crowds that should be here. Values and styles are almost beyond description—we simply urge you, in fairness to yourself, to see them.

Fawnskin, Ottoman, Kashmana, Mokene, Jammuna, Kashmirbloom, Ribbed Kashmana, Charmella, Cuir de Laine, Benara and Osmana.

New blonde furs of Natural Lynx and Chinchillette, Baby Fox, Black Lynx, Beaver, Natural and Silver Muskrat, Jap Mink, Viatka, Fisher-Dyed Fitch and others.

Many lacquer reds, warm browns and other fashionable shades.

Special! Sample Coats

As remarkable a group as we ever offered at **\$24**

Finest Sample Coats

Luxuriously fur-trimmed Samples of rich elegance **\$159**

Third Floor—Sixth Street.

Inexpensive Section



Sample Coats

\$10

Smart styles in plain and fur-trimmed Coats of cut polaire, angora and grizzly. The finest Coats we've ever seen priced so low.

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Other Sample Coat Groups at \$14.50, \$17.50, \$24.50 and \$39.50

Second Floor—Broadway.

Our Most Sensational and Timely

Sale of Girls' Dresses

Less Than Wholesale at

\$10

A Special Purchase of 500 Beautiful Dresses, Including "Ellen Kaye" Frocks

Sizes 6 to 16
Sizes 13 to 17

- ☐ Twill-Back Velvets.
- ☐ Poirer Twills.
- ☐ New Wool Crepes.
- ☐ Smart Plaids.

- ☐ Jerseys.
- ☐ Challies.
- ☐ Charmeens.
- ☐ Stripes.

☐ Beautiful Combinations.

These are the greatest values we have ever offered for girls and juniors. They are the richest fabrics and prettiest styles you can possibly imagine—all adorably trimmed with lace, buttons, embroidery, new collar and cuff effects and other deft touches. Colors include black, navy, tan, brown, henna, green and combinations. Many dressy as well as tailored styles. These Frocks will make delightfully practical Christmas gifts.

Juvenile Section—Second Floor, Broadway.



Sample Fur

Jacquettes

Of Fine Sealine
(Seal-Dyed Coney)

\$77

Jauntily styled Jacquettes in the correct lengths—with rich collars of cocoa, natural gray or Viatka squirrel. Reversed self fur around the bottom of each coat adds a fashionable note—and coats are tastefully lined.

Sample Fox Scarfs

\$18.80

Sleek, silky skins of genuine natural Red Fox comprise this notable group. Wonderful bargains for personal use or Xmas gifts.

Third Floor—Broadway.

PLAYER ROLLS

In all the latest hits including "Go-Long Mule," etc. The latest, "That's Why I'm Sing," etc. Regular \$1.00 value.....

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Shoes
In a variety of colors, for men and women. All sizes. At a special price of \$1.49. A new lot of high and low shoes. \$2.95

Smart Midwinter Trimmed Hats
AT **\$1.97 & \$2.98**
Hats in just the materials you like: silks and satins in pinks, blues and turban. Ribbon and flower black and colors.

Wansons Pokes
the Rage
at this season the popular Gloria Swan with its long crown and of silk ribbon. \$1.98

50c
Medical Iron Engine Train on wheels. Pioneer Brand. \$5.98. Wagon, roller bearing. \$2.98. Wagon, roller bearing. \$1.98. Play Kar. \$1.25. Rubber tire. \$1.25. Rubber tire wheel. \$1.49. Rubber tire wheel. \$1.49. Rubber tire wheel. \$1.49.

Men's 75c Boxed Xmas Ties
They're going big and we advise an early purchase for your selection. beautiful quality silk and finer knitted in the most attractive patterns. **49c**
Men's \$6 to \$8 Silk Shirts
We carry a large stock of men's high grade silk shirts, in scores of beautiful patterns. Put up in boxes, sizes 14 to 17. Special. \$6.98, \$5.98 & \$4.98

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69c to \$1.25 Gloves
A wonderful purchase of fine chambray gloves at an average discount of 50%. The lot includes many of the newest shades and styles including strap wrist, 2-finger, lined and unlined, fancy cuff styles, etc., and in nearly all sizes. On sale Saturday only at

59c and 39c

FRIDAY ONLY RECORD SPECIALS
"Lone," "Handalay," "June Night," "Do," **39c Each 3 for \$1**

The End to Christmas Worries!

BLUE-WHITE Diamond \$50
This dazzling, perfect, blue-white gem will make her happy! Hand-picked white gold mounting. Pay in 1925.

3-Stone Set Dinner Rings \$89.50
Beautiful mounting: set with three brilliant blue-white diamonds. An adorable gift. Pay in 1925.

Men's Diamond Rings \$50
Handsome 18-k. gold mounting, set with perfect blue-white diamond of rare beauty. Pay in 1925.

OUR PERFECT \$100 Diamond
Matches in sparkling beauty and perfection! Distinctive white or green gold mounting. Pay next year!

PERFECT BLUE-WHITE Diamond \$75
Engagement special! Perfect, large gem in a hand-drawn, carved white or green gold mounting. Pay next year!

Diamond Set Wedding Rings \$29.75
Exquisitely engraved gold bands, set with four brilliant diamonds. All next year to pay!

Onyx Set Diamond Ring \$25
Attractive black onyx, set with 4 x 6 ring blue-white diamond. Pay in 1925.

LARGE BLUE-WHITE Diamond \$150
A gem of queenly splendor, set in unique hand-carved platinum mounting. All next year to pay!

No Payments 'til February

Come to St. Louis' Gift Headquarters

Here you will find an endless variety of fine jewelry gifts—diamond rings, watches, wrist watches, silverware and many other beautiful jewelry articles to give for Christmas! Let us end your gift problems right now! Decide what you want to give from our vast selection—you need make no payments until February 1st, and we allow you all next year to pay! Make this your gift store! Enjoy the assurance of buying at St. Louis' Leading Credit Jewelers!

All Next Year to Pay

SPECIAL Jeweled ELGIN \$18
A practical Gift Watch. Guaranteed jeweled movement, attractively cased. Pay in 1925!

SPECIAL 17 Jewel Adj. HAMILTON \$29.75
The famous Hamilton at a special holiday price! In 17-year gold-filled case. Pay next year!

EMBLEM RINGS \$10 Up
Give him his favorite lodge or emblem ring. We have them all. You can pay next year!

Man's Strap WRIST WATCH \$15
A practical gift he will like. Guaranteed accurate time-keeper. Pay in 1925!

Ivory Toilet Sets \$10 to \$125
Beautiful Sets of Ivoryware. Complete sets, also individual pieces. Pay in 1925!

Wrist Watch \$15
Dainty cushion-shape Wrist Watch. Engraved white gold filled case. Guaranteed movement. All next year to pay!

Gold Knife and Chain Set \$5 Up
A beautiful gift that will please him. In yellow or green gold, attractively engraved. Pay next year!

DIAMOND SCARF PINS \$10 Up
Special Gift Pin, set with genuine diamond. An ideal gift for man or boy. All next year to pay.

GUARANTEED MANTLE CLOCKS \$16.50
Handsome Mahogany-finish cathedral chime Mantle Clocks. Guaranteed timekeeper. A practical and beautiful gift for the home. Pay next year!

Rogers Bros. 1847 Silverware \$22.60
The new Rogers "1847" Buffet Chest, finished in gold, richly plated. 36 pieces high-grade silverware, guaranteed indefinitely. Take all next year to pay!

BIRTHSTONE RING \$10 Up
Give a Birthstone Ring—makes an ideal gift. Large stones, handsomely mounted. Pay next year!

DIAMOND-SET Wrist Watch \$75 Up
She would appreciate this rare and diamond-set Wrist Watch for Christmas. Pay in 1925!

EVERY NATIONALLY KNOWN MAKE OF WATCH
DIAMOND-SET BAR PINS \$25 Up
Genuine Diamond Bar Pins. A most beautiful gift. Pay in 1925!

Watches DIAMONDS Aronberg's 422 N. 6th St. OPPOSITE COLUMBIA THEATRE
OPEN EVERY NIGHT UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Artificial Pearls \$9 Up
Evenly matched and graduated. Imitation Pearls. White and gold safety chains.

HER WRIST WATCH IS HERE IN THIS GREAT STOCK

TESTIMONY ON KLAN WORK FOR
MAYFIELD EXPECTED MONDAY

Texans Are Called to Appear Before Senate Committee on Resumption of Contested Hearing

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Direct testimony regarding the activities of the Ku Klux Klan in the 1922 Texas senatorial race between Earle B. Mayfield and George E. B. Peddy is expected as the result of the issuance yesterday of subpoenas by the subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections. Eight residents of

Navarro and Burleson counties, Texas, were ordered to appear before the subcommittee at its meeting next Monday. These witnesses, according to the attorneys for Peddy, are "samples" of what Peddy can produce to testify as to fraud and intimidation in the senatorial race. The Mayfield-Peddy contest was started last session of Congress after a vigorous and complex fight in the Texas courts. At the last session testimony was confined almost entirely to alleged excessive expenditures by Mayfield and alleged irregularities in voting. At the adjournment of Congress

the subcommittee, of which Senator Spencer of Missouri is chairman, issued an informal statement saying that "thus far" no evidence had been introduced substantial enough to deprive Mayfield of his seat. The subcommittee resolved, however, to allow Peddy to present additional evidence regarding the alleged intimidation of voters and a special meeting of the subcommittee was held in Atlantic City in July and a regular meeting was held here Tuesday. As result of the Tuesday meeting the subpoenas were issued yesterday.

Mayfield won the Democratic nomination for the senatorship in July, 1922, in the first primary. His nearest rival was former Gov. James E. Ferguson, whose wife recently was elected Governor. Charges of Klan support were made against Mayfield and an anti-Klan group nominated Peddy to run against him. Peddy was supported by the Republicans, whose candidate withdrew.

Yale to Make Railroad Survey.
KEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 5.—Plans for a country-wide survey of the transportation problem in its engineering and economic aspects have been made public by Yale University. Scientific research as to railway, roadway, waterway and airway transportation will be carried on, beginning in January or February. Through this investigation it is expected to discover what program of graduate studies in transportation at Yale is best adapted to the personnel and facilities at the university's command and to the needs of the country.Holland Holding Palmas Island.
CORRESPONDENCE OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
MANILA, Nov. 26.—The Netherlands and the United States are still disputing the possession of Palmas Island, the most southerly island of the Philippine archipelago, about 150 miles south of Mindanao. The Netherlands, however, are in control of the tiny piece of land, which was ceded to the United States by Spain under the treaty of Paris. The affairs of the island are administered by the Government of Java, and excellent progress has been made in the establishment of schools and the building of roads.

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BOY, 5, BURNED SAVING BABY
Children Injured About Hands and Face.
Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 5.—Sonny Littlefield, 5 years old, last night was whimpering from the pain in his burned hands. Sonny knows — and probably doesn't care — that firemen in the station, Kansas City, Kan., are claiming for him honors as a hero. Fire broke out in Sonny's home, near Turner, Kan., while he, a sister, a few years older, and a baby brother were alone in the building. The sister fled to safety, but Sonny remembered the baby, sleeping in its bed, and went back.

Mrs. William Littlefield, the mother, returning and finding the house in flames, broke through a window and rescued the children. Her hands were lacerated badly by glass. Sonny, who found, was attempting to drag the baby to safety. Both Sonny and the infant were burned on the hands and face. The residence was destroyed.

New Jewell College Buildings.
By the Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 5.—Plans for their new buildings to be added to the William Jewell College at Liberty, Mo., were announced following a meeting of the college trustees here yesterday. The new buildings are to be agricultural, dormitory, a chapel and a large gymnasium. The dormitory is made possible, it is announced, through a benefactor who offered to pay the cost of the dormitory—\$100,000—if other contributors would furnish the money for the other buildings. The donor requested his name be withheld.

Harry Hays Morgan Jr. to Wed.
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—An announcement is made of the engagement of Harry Hays Morgan Jr., United States Vice Consul at Glasgow, to Mrs. Ivor O'Connor Trezvant, a daughter of the late James Charles O'Connor, who was a Wall street broker and for 20 years was president of the City National Bank of Dallas, Tex. Morgan is a brother of Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt, and her twin sister, Mrs. Morgan Converse. His father is American Consul General at Buenos Aires.

Radio Romance Ends in Wedding.
By the Associated Press.
PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 5.—A radio romance which had its inception when Thomas Maile, Pittsburgh, vocalist and song writer, appeared as a soloist on a program at a local broadcasting station, and Miss Dorothy Hess of Chicago, an actress, "dated in" in her New York apartment, was revealed here today when announcement was made of their marriage.

The radio courtship began three months ago, when Miss Hess sent Maile a note of congratulation after hearing a concert. They were married last Monday.

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Extra Size New Serge Dresses \$1.95
Wool Jersey Dresses; new \$2.95
Wool, New Silk-Lined Suits \$4.95
All-Wool Skirts \$1.45, \$1.95, \$2.75, \$3.95
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Bill Creates Education Department.
By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—A bill
providing for the creation of an executive department of education and relief was introduced yesterday by Chairman Dallinger of the House Education Committee. A secretary, appointed by the President, would head the department, aided by three assistants heading instruction, public health and veterans' relief agencies, which would take over the duties of numerous bureaus now under the jurisdiction of other departments. Representative Dallinger said the bill was drawn along lines approved by the White House.

CHRISTMAS CARDS-A BIG ASSORTMENT
BUXTON & SKINNER
FOURTH NEAR OLIVE

FOUR HOLDUPS AND 130 ARRESTS IN NIGHT
Several Laundry Drivers Robbed—Police Continue Cleanup Campaign.

Police, in their campaign against thieves and suspicious characters, last night arrested 130 persons in various parts of the city, while the list of crimes reported during the night comprised but four street holdups.

Of those arrested, four men were charged with carrying concealed weapons. Four youths were charged with participating in one of the holdups because of a confession elicited from one of their number.

During the night the police also sought to solve a series of four holdups shortly before noon yesterday, when two youths with a rusty revolver held up a dairy company collector and three laundry drivers within two hours. From the collector, Leo B. Huels, 4405 Arco avenue, they took \$15 and an automobile which was used in the three subsequent robberies.

From Driver John Mueller of the Lange Laundry they took \$25 in front of 3512 Halliday avenue, from Driver Edward First, also of the Lange Laundry, \$30, at 4105 Flad avenue, and from Driver Ray Ehrenz of the Westminster Laundry, \$25, at Wyoming and Iowa streets.

North Market street had better luck after Joseph Young, a poolroom proprietor of 2722 North Ninth street, was held up by two youths and robbed of \$14 in a hallway at 1110 Montgomery street at midnight. They arrested four young men who described themselves as Frank Kapeller, 18, of 1310 Montgomery street; Delmar Boyce, 20, 2214 North Twelfth street; William Lindsay, 13, 1111 Chambers street, and Joseph Schultz, 20, 1423 Clinton street.

Kapeller asserted, the police announced, that he and Lindsay acted as look-outs while Boyce and Schultz robbed Young. He and Lindsay each got \$1.25 as a share, Kapeller said. The other three youths maintained a denial.

Daniel Donovan, 25, of 1002 Chestnut street, taken to city hospital last night with scalp wounds and facial cuts, told police he had been beaten by two negroes near Fourteenth and O'Fallon streets and robbed of \$45.

The other holdup victims last night were Charles E. Hand of Chicago who was robbed of \$3 and a gold watch by a man who stopped him in Columbus Square, opposite Carr Street Police Station, and William Shore, a taxicab chauffeur, who was robbed of \$9.30 by two fares in the 4000-block on Labadie avenue.

Among those charged with carrying concealed weapons was Sam Miller, a saloonkeeper at 2700 Hickory street. Miller fled from his bar as policemen entered and was caught after a chase of two blocks with an automatic pistol in his pocket. He was also charged with possession of liquor, Charles Wurtz of 107 Trudeau street was arrested when he pointed a revolver at two detectives on the rear porch of 618 Geyer avenue, where they had gone to investigate a disturbance. He said he thought they were burglars.

DEFENDS GEORGE GOULD'S RAILROAD STOCK DEALS
Attorney Says Purchase of Missouri Pacific Shares Was Approved by Brother Frank.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The late George J. Gould's Missouri Pacific Railroad stock deals in behalf of the Jay Gould estate, his management of which as chief executor is under fire in the \$2,000,000 accounting suit before Referee James A. O'Gorman, were defended at yesterday's session by William Wallace, counsel for the George J. Gould estate, as "no display of poor business judgment."

Wallace contended that Frank J. Gould, who, with Anna Gould, now the Duchess de Talleryrand, is the principal objector to the accounting of his father's estate, approved George Gould's purchase of Missouri Pacific stock both as a co-director of the railroad and as a trustee of the Jay Gould property.

The attorney argued that in taking up additional shares of the stock of the railroad, George acted according to the policy established by his father.

NEW TRAIN FOR MO. - PAC.
Second Section of Sunshine Special to Be Inaugurated Sunday.

A complete new train, to be known as the second section of the Sunshine Special, is to be established by the Missouri Pacific effective Sunday. The first section of the Sunshine Special will then furnish a solid train to North and West Texas and the second section will give service to South Texas. Oil-burning locomotives will be used on both trains. The trains will leave at 6:45 p. m. from Union Station as at present.

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through sleeper to Los Angeles will be carried in the first section.

It was also announced today that William P. Miller of St. Louis had been named to succeed the late Joseph M. Griffen as division passenger agent, with headquarters here.

Soft Drink Parlor Raided.
Armed with a search warrant, prohibition agents under Group Chief Scruggs of East St. Louis, raided the soft drink parlor of Steve Holcak, 4709 Bunsung road, East St. Louis, yesterday, and found 10 gallons of whiskey in a closet behind the bar. Holcak will be arraigned before United States Commissioner Herman Fritzell today to furnish bond set at \$2000.

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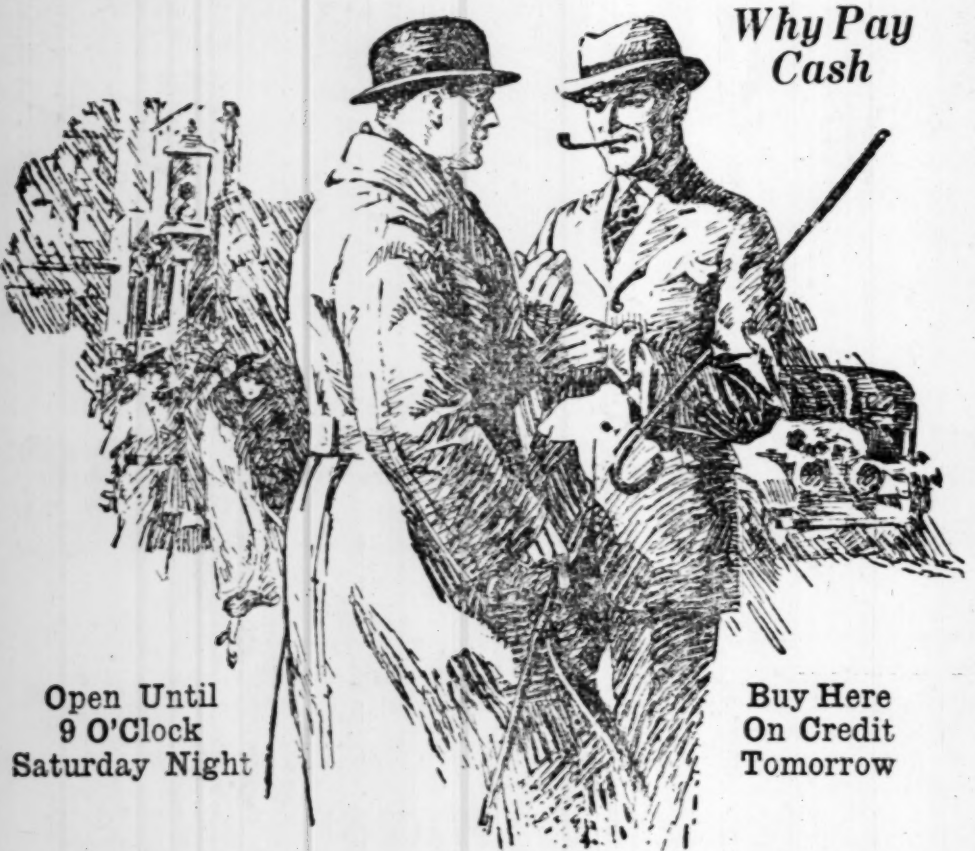
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Cowboy Outfit, \$1.95

Khaki-colored shirt, pants and hat, lariat, bandana, holster with pistol and belt. Pants trimmed with leatherette. Sizes 2 to 14.

Cowboy Outfit, \$3.00

Made of khaki drill with pockets, sleeves and trouser sides of leatherette and studs. Hat, lariat and bandana, large holster with pistol and belt. Sizes 2 to 14.

Policeman Outfit, \$3.00

Fast-colored coat of blue, long trousers with white braid trimmings, club, hat, star and leather belt. Sizes 2 to 12.

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CUT SURTAX SO RICH WILL PAY OR POOR WILL HAVE TO PAY MORE, MELLON ARGUES

Secretary Says His Object Is to Find 'Belt of Profit,' Possibly Between 15 and 31 Per Cent on Big Incomes.

By CHARLES G. ROSS,
Chief Washington Correspondent
of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—A Treasury drive for an even greater reduction in the high surtaxes on incomes than that proposed by the Mellon bill is presaged in the annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury.

In suggesting the possible advisability of reducing the highest bracket to a total tax of 15 per cent, including the 6 per cent normal tax, Secretary Mellon probably has in mind a legislative compromise of a figure somewhere between 15 per cent and the 21 (25 per cent surtax plus 6 per cent normal tax) recommended in the defeated Mellon plan. The present highest rate is 46 per cent (40 per cent surtax plus 6 per cent normal).

Mellon suggests that the "exaggerated" advantage in a presidential election" were responsible for the opposition to his original plan. He points out that the last two preceding Secretaries of the Treasury, both Democrats (Glass and Houston) "presented to the Congress the same economic viewpoint" with respect to the surtaxes as that which was advanced by the Treasury under himself.

"The solution of the problem," he says, "and it is one which must ultimately be solved, lies not in partisanship but in impartial consideration of a subject economic in its essence, no matter how much it may be partisan in its appeal."

The Secretary likens the taxation problem to that of any sane manager in fixing a price on the article he has to sell.

"If," he says, "the price is too high, his customers are few or none, and he makes nothing; if the price is too low, he has many customers, but small or no profit. Somewhere between the two, the bounds of which lie in the maximum profit. What the exact rate of maximum profit may be is a matter of judgment."

In all probability the recommendation of the Treasury of 25 per cent normal tax, plus a 6 per cent surtax, a total of 31 per cent, is above this belt of profit. A total maximum tax of 15 per cent, that is, the 6 per cent normal tax, plus a 9 per cent surtax, would be below this belt of profit. But at least the maximum rate should be brought within the limits of the belt.

"It would be more profitable to collect 30 per cent of the \$1,000,000 of aggregate net income of those having incomes above \$100,000 in 1916 (a year of 15 per cent maximum tax) than to collect 50 per cent of the \$1,000,000 of aggregate net income of those having incomes above \$100,000 in 1924 (a year of 46 per cent maximum tax)."

"It has been the belief of the Treasury, and it is borne out by experience, that if taxes are too high, the source of the revenue diminishes and the tax becomes less and less productive. If taxes are reduced, the source of taxation expands and the low rate may be even more productive than the higher rate and the source of revenue assured for the future."

The subject of taxation is explained in the annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury.

"The purpose of taxation is to raise money, not only in the particular year in which the tax is assessed, but also to leave the source from which the revenue is to be derived permanently so that in the next year and in the years following similar taxes will produce adequate revenue from this source."

"The power to tax has been well called the power to destroy. But the continued existence, not the destruction, of its source is the object of the Treasury. If experience shows that a policy of taxation has harmful consequences, and if we wish to maintain the particular source as a means of revenue, we must adjust our policy to meet the facts, regardless of how pleasant a different policy may have seemed."

Against Over-Cropping.

"If land is continually over-cropped, less and less will the harvest be in the succeeding years until the land is valueless and its owner must abandon it and move to other fields if he would live. So in taxation there are limits to taxable capacity. The enemies of the income tax are not those seeking to reduce its revenue, but those who insist that the high rates, which have proved economically incorrect, shall remain."

The argument is made that the wealthy should bear substantially the whole burden of the tax. It is quite obvious that we could not collect solely from those having incomes in excess of \$200,000 a year the \$1,000,000 of personal income tax which was collected in 1923, because the total income of the \$200,000 class, reported for taxation, was but \$1,000,000, and even a 100 per cent tax would be ineffective to pro-

duce the revenue required. The income is not there.

"We must also tax smaller incomes if the Government requirements are to be met. While the example given above may seem extreme, it illustrates the fact that it is impossible for the Government to live by taxing the wealthy alone. A broader base of taxation must be found."

"Again, if we attempt to levy taxes inherently too high, those whom we seek to tax will find some of the many ways of avoiding the realization of an income which can be reached by taxation, and the source of the revenue will decline."

"Those having incomes in excess of \$200,000 had in 1916 aggregate incomes of nearly \$1,000,000,000 under a 15 per cent maximum tax. This would have been more than sufficient to provide for the total income tax collected in 1922 from all classes, but by 1922 the aggregate income of this wealthy class, with the maximum rate of tax at 58 per cent, had dropped to \$365,000,000. There was less income upon which taxes could be levied. As a matter of fact, about as much tax was collected from this class in 1916 with the 15 per cent maximum tax as in 1921 with the maximum rate of 73 per cent."

Not a Simple Question.

"Taxation in America is not the simple question of garnering a tithe of the product of a purely agricultural people. We are a nation of 48 states, each with its own laws of property and corporate organization, none of which is subject to the Federal Government. We are notably ingenious in finding ways and means to accomplish our purposes. We are becoming experienced in investments outside the country, where the Federal tax collectors' hand does not reach."

"We have the anomaly of a Government seeking to collect income taxes, and at the same time providing legally authorized means of avoiding payment of the tax by the issuance of fully tax-exempt securities through its own agencies and a refusal to tax the income from the enormous mass of securities being issued by State and municipal governments."

"It is an interesting commentary on the method of approach by some to an economic question that the means of tax avoidance by the wealthy are promoted by the very persons who most vehemently demand that the wealthy shall pay. Differing from the ideas of other countries, we have a theory of income and dealing in property in a stock market, page after page of exceptions must be written into law."

Many Doors to House.

"With so many doors to the house, the effort to close them all has given us the most intricate tax law in history. At the apex of this structure, we have maximum rates of tax and a publicity provision which not only encourages tax avoidance but makes its avoidance almost human nature be changed inevitably."

"Ways will always be found to avoid tax so inherently excessive, America presents no exception in the history of taxation. The solution of the problem lies not in passing more laws but in adopting laws with more reason. A reasonable rate of tax will make evasion, expensive methods of avoidance unprofitable. A reasonable tax will make the administration of the tax laws more simple of accomplishment."

"There is, in addition to the intricacies of our income tax and the impossibility of a strict enforcement, a much more serious effect of excessive taxation, both income and estate, on our industry and commerce, to make a new venture, to start a new business, to build a new building, to construct and not just passive means risk. Where that risk involves capital, the probable rate of return must compensate for the risk taken."

"Yet the law now says to the man of large income: 'If you lose on your venture, you will pay 100 per cent of the loss; if you win the law will take 50 per cent of your profit.' These are not the odds which encourage adventure or the production of income which will yield its revenue to the Government."

No man will continue to sow where he cannot reap. "We have then the blighting effect of excessive rates, which compel avoidance and destroy initiative, and by both means diminish the returns from the upper brackets from which the Government has been taking a large part of its revenue. If these brackets become unproductive, the revenue can be made up only by higher taxes in the lower brackets and by decreasing the present exemptions so that the tax will reach smaller incomes. This is a condition which can not be escaped—more scientific taxes on the larger

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STONE ADVOCATES MORE TAIL TERMS IN LIQUOR CASES

Attorney-General's Report Stresses Urgent Need of Remedial Legislation for Law Enforcement.

TAX STATUTES ALSO BURDEN ON COURTS'

Recommends Law to Make 'It a Crime to Conceal Assets Involved in Bankruptcy Actions.'

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The Department of Justice daily is finding its task more difficult in keeping pace with the growth of the Federal business it must transact and there is urgent need for remedial legislation applicable to various phases of law enforcement, Attorney-General Stone declared today in Congress.

Federal courts are "staggered under the load imposed on them by prohibition legislation," the report says, and adds that "diverse and complex tax laws" also have increased greatly the burden which the courts must bear. The situation necessarily affects the offices of United States attorneys, and there is need, the Attorney-General says, not only for a greater personnel in those offices, but an increase in the salaries paid to them.

While there was a small decrease as compared with the previous year in the number of liquor cases taken into court, the decrease is termed inconsequential and its effect has not been felt in the work of those charged with enforcement of the law.

The courts disposed of 40,000 liquor and tax law cases in the year ending last June 30, an increase over the previous year of nearly 4000, and the sentences of imprisonment and fines and forfeitures resulting from these cases was \$7,487,000, almost \$2,000,000 greater than the previous year.

More Jail Sentences Urged.

The Attorney-General advocates greater use of the jail sentence as a "real deterrent" for violators of the prohibition laws, basing his remarks on a discussion of enforcement by Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Assistant Attorney-General, in charge of prohibition and taxation, which is included in the report.

"While the added fines are encouraging as indicating a heavier money punishment, which helps to make the illicit traffic less profitable," Mrs. Willebrandt says, "the real deterrent to this class of violators is the jail sentence. In this respect a great advance has been made, the average jail sentence jumping from 21 to 34 days."

"The penalties for violation of the prohibition laws at best are not severe for first offenses, particularly when compared with the penal features of the old internal revenue laws, which were enacted to compel observance of the liquor customs and tariff laws."

Trade Association Cases.

In the division handling anti-trust laws, the department has been engaged the last year in working mainly toward the solution of two major problems, the report says. One of them has to do with the enforcement of the law against unfair competition, involving organization of trade associations, and in these it has been found that most of the trade associations are entirely legal, but the department has been engaged in the last year in working mainly toward the solution of two major problems, the report says. One of them has to do with the enforcement of the law against unfair competition, involving organization of trade associations, and in these it has been found that most of the trade associations are entirely legal, but the department has been engaged in the last year in working mainly toward the solution of two major problems, the report says. 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 erate injustice or corruption, always
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 never belong to any party, always
 oppose privileged classes and public
 plunderers, never lack sympathy
 with the poor, always remain de-
 voted to the public welfare, never be
 satisfied with merely printing news,
 always be drastically independent;
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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE
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 ters not exceeding 200 words will receive
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The Plaza: Los Angeles vs. St. Louis.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 THE far-sightedness of the Los An-
 geles Architects' Association, in con-
 sulting to perform all professional ser-
 vices inherent to the design and super-
 vision of the contemplated civic center
 of that city, for a nominal sum of \$1.
 In fact, the mere conception of such an
 idea in the dominating material age of
 ours is, to say the least, a light upon
 the horizon.
 Of course, it is because of these ideals
 that success is bound to come to that
 community in which self-gain is re-
 nounced for the gain of posterity.
 In such a great problem as the plaza
 development presents, in which, as is
 generally conceded, esthetics is or should
 be the chief concern, and the final re-
 sult to become the pride of future gen-
 erations, how else, it is asked, can the
 best be obtained than through the re-
 nunciation of great remunerative con-
 siderations and the application of that
 co-operative and fraternal spirit which
 prevailed in the Middle Ages in order
 that the best, nay, the most beautiful,
 can be realized and expressed? The
 submergence of personal gain in that
 altruistic ideal, "the gain of all."
 True, the Los Angeles architects will
 charge according to regular scale for the
 design of municipal structures, but these
 fees will go to the association and not
 to the individuals, and the revenues ob-
 tained from this source are to be "spent
 for educational development, for the
 creation of a library of fine arts, for the
 establishing of an endowment fund to
 increase the artistic and cultural spirit
 and for the advancement of the art of
 architecture." What a noble cause, and
 how sorely neglected!
 If the public were cognizant of the
 enormous difficulties naturally arising
 out of any other scheme of procedure
 than that adopted by the Los Angeles
 architects, in the development of our
 plaza problem, difficulties due to un-
 avoidable jealousies and professional ri-
 valries, it would indeed welcome ob-
 servation on the part of St. Louis archi-
 tects of the attitude taken by their col-
 leagues in Los Angeles.
 If the word "West" is synonymous with
 progress, then surely there is light
 in the West.
 ST. LOUISIAN.

The Patrons Question.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 MY attention has been called to your
 editorial, "State Patrons and In-
 efficiency," which appeared in a recent
 edition of the Post-Dispatch.
 Your treatment of the patrons ques-
 tion leaves nothing to be added, and I
 am sure that your stand is endorsed by
 all forward looking men and women.
 R. H. CLEMMONS.
 District Secretary, Ninth U. S. Civil Ser-
 vice District, St. Louis.

"The Come-Back of John Burke."
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 YOUR article in the Post-Dispatch of
 Nov. 20 entitled, "The Come-Back of
 John Burke," was of unusual interest to
 me. The story of the Iowa farmer tel-
 ling him many years ago that if he ever
 found a dollar with his name on it he
 would give it to him was related to me
 by John Burke, himself, when I called
 upon him in Washington during his term
 as United States Treasurer.
 That Iowa farmer was my grand-
 father, Chester Perry. And he lived
 neighbor to the Burke family. John
 went to school with both my father and
 mother, and during vacations and on
 Saturdays he was employed by my grand-
 father to husk corn and do other farm
 tasks for which he was always paid
 fifty (50) cents per day. My grand-
 father had no German blood in his
 veins, and I am writing to correct that
 part of your story.
 Mr. Burke sent grandfather a letter
 soon after he became U. S. Treasurer,
 reminding him of his long-ago promise,
 but my grandfather never received the
 letter or any money on which John
 Burke's name appeared, as he passed
 away soon after he was appointed
 Treasurer.
 MRS. VANE G. GIBSON.

Planets as Rainmakers.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 REFERENCE to the letter from the
 Kansas City astronomical meteorolo-
 gist—just wondered if the planet that
 gave them relief from the drought was a
 Republican, for not a drop has come
 this way; even the swamps are so dry
 that alligators have burrowed so deep
 they may go on through, being closer to
 the surface that way. However, if we
 could work up astronomical enthusiasm
 possibly Neptune, Jupiter, or al., might
 slip us a rain; but can we hold out?
 Our being able to hold out might be
 reckoned to the "Volstead story" the min-
 ister told of the man who lived in Maine
 had just died at the age of 121 years,
 and never drank anything but water in
 his life, when his blubber listener re-
 marked, "Yes; he stuck to it as it killed
 him."
 DOUBTING THOMAS.
 Wilmet, Ark.

QUICK BUT RIGHT ACTION.

Demands for quick action towards the erecting
 of buildings provided for in the bond issue are in-
 creasing. Yesterday at a meeting of citizens called
 by the Conventions Bureau, vigorous speeches were
 made and strong resolutions were adopted, urging
 the immediate beginning of work on the Auditorium.
 The Judges are pressing for the prompt building
 of the new courthouse.
 We are in hearty sympathy with the movement
 for the earliest possible beginning of the work on
 the Plaza and the public buildings that are to occupy
 it. We want quick action, but we want right action
 first. There are two serious questions touching the
 beginning of work on the various projects provided
 for in the bond issue. One is the amount of money
 that shall be appropriated each year for the work,
 which is limited by pledges to the public. But that
 obstacle must be overcome in considerable measure.
 Then there is the question of what the Plaza shall be;
 what sort of buildings shall be erected thereon, and
 where they shall be located.
 Several important preliminaries must be attend-
 ed to before any work can be begun. Desirable as it
 is to have an auditorium as quickly as possible, it
 would be foolish to locate the auditorium somewhere,
 without reference to the scheme of the Plaza and the
 designs and harmony of the buildings. The Plaza,
 with the buildings which are to occupy it, must be
 planned with a view of having a beautiful and har-
 monious scheme.

This, as the Post-Dispatch has repeatedly said, de-
 pends upon the character and capacity of the com-
 mission selected to plan the Plaza and locate and de-
 sign the buildings.
 The Post-Dispatch has directed attention to the Los
 Angeles method of going at the problem by orga-
 nizing a Community Development Association of lead-
 ing citizens, and an Allied Architects' Association to
 handle the planning and designing.
 We want the right sort of Plaza—one that will re-
 flect credit on St. Louis—the right sort of audi-
 torium, courthouse and other buildings, which will
 combine the highest utility with the highest achieve-
 ment of architecture.

THOSE NERVOUS MAHARAJAS.

There is a pathetic note in the official British an-
 nouncement that the mysterious Mr. A. of the un-
 savory Robinson blackmail case is the Rajah Sir
 Hurri Singh. The announcement was made at the
 urgent request of other reigning Princes of India,
 who found themselves under "damaging and cruel
 suspicions."

These Princes live in great marble palaces and they
 sit on ivory-and-gold thrones, but domestic relations
 there seem to be pretty much the same as in the
 rest of the world in homes of all sizes down to the
 smallest. When the Maharajah spends the afternoon
 reading two pages of testimony in the case, and at
 supper time regales the Maharajah with a few bit-
 ter comments on the perfidy of men, following up
 with some reminiscences of her old home, where she
 was so happy, and which she was a big fool ever to
 leave, it is time for the reigning Prince to call for
 a telegraph blank and get a message off to the Lon-
 don Foreign Office.

There is a sinister angle, too. It is the tradition-
 al duty of male relatives of a neglected or mistreated
 Princess to kill her faithless husband. In a case like
 this, how could a man be comfortable, even on an
 ivory-and-gold throne, if he saw his wife's hard-
 headed brother idly fingering a 12-inch Bowie knife,
 while his eyes had a "He ain't done right by our
 Nell" gleam in them?
 Pitiless publicity is better and much safer for
 everybody but the philanderer, and he does not
 matter.

TWO YEARS FOR A DRINK.

The La Grange (Mo.) Indicator tells the story.
 James Stratton was recently tried in the Marion
 County Circuit Court on the charge of having given
 a man a drink of liquor. After deliberating an hour
 and a half the jury returned a verdict of guilty and
 James Stratton was sentenced to two years in the
 penitentiary. The Indicator passionately observes
 that "this is rated as one of the most severe punish-
 ment."

ments ever meted out to a violator of the prohibition
 law in this vicinity."
 Possibly that comment is adequate, but it seems to
 us as if this amazing triumph of the law should have
 more impressive, more exalting recognition. The
 Antislavery League, we make bold to suggest, might
 instruct its general counsel, Wayne Wheeler, to draw
 up a set of stirring resolutions wishing the jurors
 in this case as merry a Christmas as they deserve.

POLITICS AS A SCIENCE.

Bruce Bliven's analysis of the politician in his
 address before the St. Louis League of Women
 Voters is comparable to that of J. B. S. Haldane in
 a recent New Republic article. Bliven, as quoted,
 holds that "the mind of the politician is of an in-
 ferior, or at least of a somewhat different type";
 that it is impossible for one who has had close con-
 tact with them to take high officials seriously; that
 first rate minds are drawn off into business; that
 the politician could not make \$7500 a year any other
 way without working for it, and that "he is one
 whose type of mind runs to bunk."
 Haldane views the politician with more regard for
 his peculiar ability. He believes psychology to be
 the key to scientific politics. "To predict the be-
 havior of men in the mass," he asserts, "we require
 knowledge of a special kind of psychology. And at
 the present moment the expert politician knows 10
 times as much of it as the best psychologist."

Both Bliven and Haldane look to a scientific solu-
 tion of the political problem, provided, as Haldane
 says, "the politicians have left a civilization in which
 psychology can exist." Bliven looks for the "de-
 bunking" of politics with the "debunking" of the citi-
 zen through education. Haldane hopes that in the
 course of two or three centuries the science of psy-
 chology will be so developed as to enable the psy-
 chologist to beat the politician at his own game.
 On this theory he believes he is doing more for man-
 kind by engaging in the actual sciences of psychol-
 ogy and biology than in politics.
 That politics is no short-distance game is attested
 by John Adams in his famous correspondence with
 Jefferson after their retirement:

While all other sciences have advanced, that
 of government is at a stand; little better un-
 derstood; little better practiced now, than three
 or four thousand years ago. What is the reason?
 I say, parties and factions will not suffer or per-
 mit improvements to be made. As soon as one
 man hints at an improvement his rival opposes
 it. No sooner has one party discovered or in-
 vented an amelioration of the condition of man
 or the order of society, than the opposite party
 believes it, misconstrues, misrepresents it, ridicules
 it, insults it and persecutes it.

La Follette, Ladd, Frazier and Brookhart are the
 only nominally Republican Senators who were not
 invited to partake of waffles and coffee at the White
 House. This will teach them a lesson.

GOLDEN RULE SUNDAY.

Sunday, Dec. 7, has been set apart, with presiden-
 tial indorsement, as Golden Rule Sunday. This year,
 the special opportunity to comply with the Golden
 Rule is offered by an appeal of the Near East Relief
 Committee to remember the more than 100,000 home-
 less and destitute children, victims of the World
 War, who must for some time to come depend upon
 the generosity of the public. There are 40,000 Ar-
 menian orphans alone who are being kept alive by
 this charity. In Nazareth, the little town where
 Christ as a boy is supposed to have learned the car-
 penter's trade, many orphaned boys are being taught
 to follow that manner of making their own living.

Golden Rule Sunday is but two years old, but has
 won its way into popular esteem because, as a day
 for helping someone in need, it appeals to us all, just
 when we are beginning to feel a pleasant warmth
 from the approaching spirit of Christmas. Undoubt-
 edly, in this world of suffering, Golden Rule Sunday
 will always have a special objective. This year it is
 a vast army of unfortunate children, who greatly
 need that those who can shall help to keep them on
 the road to becoming self-helpful men and women.

The feller that needs a friend is the motorist who
 dares not park his car lest the traffic rules will
 change before he goes to get it.

THE FOUR HORSEMEN.

(From the Pittsburgh Sun.)



DREAMS SOMETIMES COME TRUE.
 (From the Washington Post.)

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch
 By CLARK McADAMS
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TRANSLATION.

(From the Spanish of Becquer.)
 What need to tell me? Don't I know it?
 Pickle and haughty she is, and vain;
 And her spirit's as capable of devotion
 As boulders are of gushing rain.

I know that her heart's a nest of serpents,
 And that she's not the slightest hope for my
 suit;
 I know she's as lifeless as a statue—
 But man, she's cute!

OUTIS.

Since the finest building in Missouri is
 the new Capitol at Jefferson City, probably
 before we plan anything for the St. Louis
 plaza we would better ask the State how it
 got a building so beautiful as that. If we
 do not follow much the same course fol-
 lowed by the State, which was to throw the
 Capitol open to competition among architects
 everywhere, it is doubtful that all the dol-
 lars voted in the bond issue that we will
 never get anything worth looking at. To
 make so important a matter as this no
 more than a City Hall job would put the
 stamp of mediocrity upon us even plainer
 than it is upon us today. The chances are
 that posterity will laugh at us anyway, but
 why make it hate us?

Maybe if the national budget did not
 show such a pitiful proportion spent upon
 Government itself we would not pay such
 an amazing part of it to wars past, pres-
 ent and future. Perhaps those first-class
 men which Bruce Bliven says we do not
 get into the public service would get into
 it if the pay were increased.

Some contributors do not seem able to
 reconcile themselves to what happened Nov.
 4, and we are disposed to think they do not
 understand what the country had in mind.
 The issue was economy. We must admit
 that it was not honest government except
 that honest government is in itself an econ-
 omy. We wanted to reduce the cost of main-
 taining the Government, and no doubt wisely
 reasoned that we could do this better by
 keeping in power the Republicans, who had
 got things, than we could by putting into
 power the Democrats or Progressives, nei-
 ther of whom had been able to steal anything.
 This was a sensible deduction upon the part
 of the people, and government is already
 getting cheaper. Is there some factious per-
 son who wants to quarrel with that?

Now that Mr. Coolidge has done away
 with his overcoat, maybe he will render a
 real service to his time by killing the ear-
 muff.

CLARENCE DARROW.

(Appropos his visit to the city.)
 Craver and despoiler of illusion,
 Skeptic's brain with tortuous rootings in
 the heart,
 O, darkened man, your lanky corpse
 Will fit a grave better than your shambling
 clothes,
 And we'll add you to that mighty list
 Of His Majesty's opposition.
 The pious multitudes reject or mislove—
 Whitman, Clemens, Hawthorne and Poe,
 Altgeld, Emerson, Ingersoll, Thoreau,
 But through stale fogs of blackish sweetness
 What a light they throw!

Sir: Amiable soft heads assume that
 Americans are pure altruists, considerate
 of the rights of others. Are Americans not
 really, the grimmest sort of imperialists?
 Did we not grab this continent red-handed,
 at the musket's muzzle, from the Indians?
 Did we not encroach upon a fair country
 as the Spaniards encroached upon a fair
 fruit tree? Did we not destroy the timber,
 rob the soil, wipe out animal life, the deer
 for a steak, the buffalo for his hide, the
 heron for her plumes, a ton of bass for a
 meal for one or two people, millions of
 wild ducks and quail, for the lust of kill-
 ing? What had the Indian that is left
 him? Has he safely got what is left him?
 Or are we after even his last blanket?
 Is it correct to assume that we are peace-
 ful people content with what God has given
 us? No such wholesale, rapid, red-rav
 conquest of a continent has ever been made
 as has been made in North America. Are
 we not first among predateous peoples?
 Confronting whatever we may be powerful
 enough to confound, killing for the pleas-
 ure of killing? Why, then, assume that
 we are honest, modest people content with
 our own? What have we got that we did
 not get by sheer "confiscation"?
 Does this not explain why we vote for
 the red-rav, money-getting (any way),
 high tariff, steal-everything-you-can-steal
 Republican party every time we get a
 chance? It is not best for us to tell our-
 selves the truth about ourselves so that
 we may accurately know what we are and,
 thus, be able to determine our natural
 course of action?
 SOCK.

Senator Borah, who wants Russia recog-
 nized and restored to its former economic
 usefulness to the rest of the world, becomes
 chairman of the Foreign Relations Com-
 mittee, which probably means that Secre-
 tary Hughes is to have a bad winter, or may
 not be there in the spring.

Sir: One of your sign hunters thought a
 man on Ninth street very versatile be-
 cause he could repair shoes and violins.
 There is a sign on a new building on Natural
 Bridge road in Pine Lawn which has the
 Ninth street workman beat a mile.

Dr. S. Paper Hanger, Barber, Ladies',
 Tallor, Undertaker, Notary Public, Sep-
 tic Tanks.

And sign hunter talks about versatility!

H. R. A.

In 1850, when there was a tavern at Fifth
 avenue and Twenty-third street, New York,
 this sign appeared in it:
 Four pence a night for Bed.
 Six pence a night for Supper.
 No more than 5 to sleep in one Bed.
 No Boots to be worn in Bed.
 Organ Grinders to sleep in the Wash-
 House.
 No Dogs allowed up stairs.
 No Beer allowed in the Kitchen.
 No Razor Grinders or Tinkers taken
 in.
 No. 609: Sign on the back of a Ford
 coupe on Washington avenue:
 Chicken, here's your coop.

L. R.

**The MIRROR of
 PUBLIC OPINION**

OUR TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

From the Philadelphia Bulletin.
 AN oft-repeated Washington conten-
 tion relative to commercial relations be-
 tween the United States and Russia is con-
 firmed by the announcement that the soviet
 government is in the market to purchase 100,
 000 bales of American cotton. The State
 Department has consistently held that the
 issue of diplomatic recognition was a
 practical obstacle to private trade.
 Though commercial intercourse with Russia
 is not governed by specific treaties, general
 international law protects exporters. Rus-
 sian cotton purchases stand alone as a
 showing that the United States is not hap-
 pily by the refusal to join Germany,
 Great Britain and France in de jure recog-
 nition of the Moscow regime. This country
 is certain to receive orders for the pur-
 chase of the agricultural machinery, includ-
 ing tractors and other mechanical ap-
 paratus, for which an appropriation of 100,
 000,000 is contemplated. America's Euro-
 pean rivals look askance at the plac-
 ing of orders in America aggregating 10
 per cent or more of the soviet's total im-
 ports.

THE CROSS-WORD FAD.

From the New York Herald and Tribune.
 IT is remarkable that organized oppo-
 sition to the cross-word puzzle addiction has
 not yet reared its head. Of course it is
 the dissipation until lately has interfered
 only with relatively unimportant matters,
 such as domestic economy, the keeping of
 business engagements and the dispatch of
 affairs in general. So it has been con-
 sidered as it is to find anybody engaged in
 his accustomed employment, things have
 to get done, and until they go to sleep
 to smash an anti-puzzle league may find
 difficulty in forwarding prohibitory leg-
 islation. Moreover, Congress has not yet
 since cross words became all-engrossing
 the legislators have acquired the habit, al-
 though they will find time for legislation; but
 will they entertain without extraordinary
 inducements an anti-puzzle lobby.

ANOTHER TEA PARTY.

From the Washington Post.
 THE sofa of Britain are, of course, the
 special devotees of those fragrant water-
 which are brewed over the spirit lamp and
 imbued with lemon or cream, to caper
 Recent English figures, however, made pub-
 lic by the Bankers' Trust Co. of New York,
 indicate that the entire world is being
 steadily converted. Through her monopoly
 of the tea trade, England is naturally the
 center of gravity for tea shipments, and ac-
 cordingly from the re-exportation from
 British ports may be gathered an idea of
 the demand at large. The report of the
 British Board of Trade from Jan. 1 to Aug.
 31 of this year shows that 48,215,045 pounds
 of tea were exported, as compared with
 35,011,248 for an equal period in 1923.
 While the figures do not indicate what per-
 centage of the increase was due to Amer-
 ican imports, the unhappy drought from
 which this country alone suffers is depen-
 dent responsible for the surplus deposits of
 British exchequers by their kinsmen who
 are deprived of stronger waters. There-
 fore, we wonder, some little band of
 warts who will call to mind a certain tea
 party once given in Boston?

**E. CROWLEY PRAISES
 PROGRESS OF CITY**

President P. E. Crowley of the
 New York Central lines, principal
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GERMAN FLEET EXECUTED MANEUVER AT JUTLAND THAT BRITISH RATED IMPOSSIBLE

American's "Dope" Story of Amazing Triple
"Swing-Around" in 42 Minutes Finally
Is Verified by British Admiralty.

By the Associated Press.
BOSTON, Dec. 5.—What went on behind the mists that hung over the North Sea while the British Grand Fleet and the High Seas Fleet of Germany fought the Battle of Jutland on May 31, 1916, is described in new terms by the British Admiralty eight years later, and its official narrative of this outstanding naval engagement of the World War, recently issued, conforms to an American version of the facts.

It had been announced by the admiralty, at a time when controversy was rife in high British naval circles, that no official account of the Jutland engagement would be given out. A Blue Book in 1920 had contained the original British charts and reports. But when Lord Sydenham, raising a formal

question in the House of Lords, pointed out that an American historian, Capt. Thomas G. Frothingham, U. S. N., of Boston, had made clear certain essential facts of the battle that called for a change in the British official charts, renewed attention was given to the battle details.

The British Admiralty's own narrative, issued now as an official document of 120 pages with new charts and new conclusions, is the result.

Scheer's Surprising Strategy.

It was the surprising strategy of Admiral Reinhold Scheer, commander of the German forces, in executing three times within a space of 42 minutes, twice in defense and once in attack, a battle maneuver which the British high command had declared impossible.

These were the conditions, with

of execution, that upset all British calculations as to what had occurred. This maneuver was a simultaneous turn of 16 battleships, like the about-face of marching men, with each ship swinging around almost in its own tracks.

It was the Yankee historian, an army officer during the World War, who first brought to light the fact of Admiral Scheer's amazing strategy and tactics in a monograph, "A True Account of the Battle of Jutland." How the American learned what went on behind the mists at Jutland, he has not divulged, but it is understood that study of the original battle charts, in the light of his knowledge of the sea and ships, supplied the first clue.

Germans Seen Through Mist.

The official narrative takes up its more important phases of view at 6:15 p. m. It was at that hour that the British forces joined, and Admiral Jellicoe with his full strength now available to bear against the inferior German force, turned to deploy on the port wing to form a line of battle on a course southeast by east, with an advance of cruisers and destroyers stretched between the German fleet and approach to their base. The British narrative says, "the enemy could only be seen fitfully through the mist" and adds that no battleships could fire for many minutes together because observation was so poor.

With the German fleet out of sight at 6:42 p. m., the British admiral ordered the course altered by divisions to the southeast. Then the tide of battle turned again, and at 6:55 Admiral Scheer used the same simultaneous swing of his ships to turn around the head to the east in attack. This offensive measure by the Germans, as described in the narrative, was "straight into the center of the arc formed by the British fleet. In a few minutes the leading (German) squadron and battle cruisers would be threatened with envelopment and the concentrated fire of practically the whole Grand Fleet. The High Sea Fleet seemed to be rushing to destruction."

Capt. Frothingham has called attention to the remarkable fact that the German admiral had thus voluntarily placed his fleet again in the same position from which he had once withdrawn. Admiral Scheer has since said that this move in attack, which brought a lesser German force against one which Lord Sydenham has described as "17 of the finest and best battleships in the world," was intended as a surprise blow to upset British plans and to facilitate the German fleet breaking loose to get back to its base at night. The admiralty narrative says that Admiral Scheer's motives "should be accepted with reserve. His intention was more probably to slip past the rear of the British fleet and make for home."

Retreat Covered by Cruisers.

At the time that the British grand fleet saw the German admiral, heading toward them at a range of less than 10,000 yards, "the mists clear for a few minutes and the British fleet followed at 7:17. Of this the narrative of the Admiralty says: "As soon as Admiral Scheer realized that he was facing the main British fleet, he turned his battle front to the westward, and ordered the battle cruisers and flotillas to attack in order to cover his retreat." Admiral Scheer's representation that his object having been attained, the fleet withdrew, should be considered with the statement attributed to Van Hase that "the high seas fleet found itself in a trap and sent battle cruisers and flotillas ahead to extricate it," the narrative continues, adding "What might have been a disastrous blunder was by a stroke of luck turned to Admiral Scheer's advantage." Admiral Scheer's simultaneous turn at 7:17 included both the battle cruisers and the battleships, he has said, as described in the Admiralty's narrative, being the British version of the facts into line with the prior account by the American historian. Until Capt. Frothingham in his monograph described the "swing-around," thrice-repeated, it had no British notice.

PALESTINE ADMITTED 2000
IMMIGRANTS IN AUGUST

More Than Half Were of Independent Means or Had Prospects of Employment.

Jerusalem, Nov. 6.—The policy of the Government seems to be to open wider the door of the country to desirable immigrants, and as a result during the month of August about 2000 were admitted. These were mostly Jews from southeastern Europe, Poland, Russia, Rumania and Czechoslovakia. Of this number 850 were people of independent means and 450 had a prospect of definite employment.

These immigrants are mostly young people, well set-up, and will doubtless be a great asset to the economic welfare of the country.

CUT SURTAX SO RICH WILL PAY. MELLON URGES

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Incomes or more taxes on the lower incomes.

Income and Estate Taxes.

"While it is true that income and estate taxes will always yield revenue, it is not true that they will yield sufficient revenue to contribute their share to the support of the Government unless adjusted economically."

In the seven-year period from 1916 to 1922, as to which we now have income tax statistics, the reported income of those having incomes in excess of \$500,000 dropped from \$932,000,000 to \$365,000,000 and the percentage of income of this class to all income reported dropped from 15.77 to 1.71 per cent.

"During the four years in which the 25 per cent maximum tax on estates has been felt in revenue, receipts from this source have dropped from \$134,000,000 in 1921 to \$102,000,000 in 1924. Should this

tendency continue, and the evidence is that it will, and be accelerated in the estate tax, where the maximum has been raised from 25 to 40 per cent, then both taxes will be indeed unproductive."

"It may be truly said, therefore, that a man with small income is more interested than are the wealthy themselves in seeing that the tax upon high incomes and large estates is economically sound."

"With all the world opening to investment, with new tax exempt securities being issued at the rate of more than \$1,000,000,000 a year, and with other means of the wealthy need no longer to the extent that they are burdened will inevitably be those with small or no income."

"The Government must not forget that the inevitable result of taxation is to raise the price of the country, who pay the tax directly, must make the payments indirectly in what they, too, are vitally interested in."

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PART THREE.

BRITISH CABINET TAKES UP POSSIBLE CONSEQUENCES OF RAJAH HURRI'S LOVE AFFAIR

Loss of Important Indian State if Black-
mailed Prince's Indiscretions Cost
Him Throne.

By JOHN L. BALDERSTON,
London Correspondent of the Post-
Dispatch and the New York
World.

London, Dec. 5.—The political
consequences of the blackmailing
of the Rajah Sir Hurri Singh, heir
of the Rajah of Kashmir, were con-
sidered by the Cabinet yesterday.
The Secretary of State for India,
Mr. Montagu, discussed the matter at
length. There are fears in the
quarters that the affair may
lead to the loss of the throne of
Kashmir, and Great Britain one
of the keys to India, unless prompt

measures are taken to restrain the
reported intention of the septu-
agenarian Maharajah, Sir Pertab
Singh, to disinherit Hurri and
adopt a son to succeed him whose
policy might detach Kashmir from
the British sphere of influence.

There is a strong rumor tonight
that Sir Hurri is coming to Eng-
land and will be here before
Christmas. These reports cannot
be confirmed, but the Cabinet dis-
cussed this point. His presence
would be desired, not to testify in
the criminal trials resulting from
the blackmail case, but to reach a
definite understanding about
Hurri's policy when his uncle dies,
should Britain back his claim by
force to prevent an unfriendly

Maharajah from succeeding.

Situation Delicate.

The delicacy of the situation in
Kashmir is revealed by the fact
that a plot of poison the British
Resident in Srinagar, capital of
the principality, was discovered
during the war and the Maharajah,
believing himself implicated, abdi-
cated. He was restored to the
throne, but it is semi-officially de-
clared now that evidence against
him has been discovered.

The old ruler, now 74, has re-
fused to allow the British to build
a railway to his capital and has
declined to permit the export of
rice to India on the ground that
this would increase the cost of liv-
ing to his subjects. He elected oil
prospects who had discovered oil
in his dominions.

But if Hurri ever ascends the
throne, Kashmir's rich lands will
pass, in effect, into British hands.

It is strongly indicated that the
case has caused a sensation in
Kashmir. Under the strict caste
rules existing there, a Hindu Prince
who has a liaison with a white
woman makes himself a pariah.
The old monarch is said to have
declared that Hurri must go. There
are rumors already that Hurri will
renounce all claims to the throne,
but the lack of news from India on
these points indicates the existence
of a censorship.

Hurri is Sir Pertab's nephew, but

has never been adopted as his son.
If the Maharajah should now adopt
a son from the ruling house of
Kashmir, Hurri's claims vanish.
The logical aspirant, another neph-
ew, is markedly anti-British.

Is Richest Indian Prince.

Rajah Hurri is said, in the flood
of newspaper stories which have
been let loose by the India office's
permission to refer to him other-
wise than as "Mr. A." to be the
richest Indian Prince. His fortune
is estimated at \$150,000,000, and
his personal history is a chapter
from the Arabian Nights.

His father, Rajah Amir Singh,
member of the famous Dogra clan
and its richest heir, died mysteri-
ously on the night an attempt was
made to kidnap Hurri, then an in-
fant.

The story goes that pow-
dered rubies in his food caused the
Rajah's death. The murderer, ap-
parently desiring to make the
Rajah's end worthy of a great
Prince, used the gems instead of
common glass, which might have
caused the Rajah to lose caste.

Hurri was bundled out of the
palace, the conspirators apparently
intending to murder him, too, but
they seem to have been frightened
and dropped him. Blue with cold,
the baby was found in the garden
next day. The identity of the mur-
derer was never proved, but the
gossip of the East names a high In-

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dian potentate.

The present Maharajah is in ev-
ery way a contrast to his heir. The
old man is a stern Hindu ascetic;
he never eats flesh and, during the
six weeks of yearly fasts, he drinks
only water and eats only the seeds

of the lotus flower spread before
him on the leaf of the plant.
Hurri's first adventure in the out-
side world occurred 21 years ago
when he was appointed page to
the then Viceroy. In this position
he wore a gown of gold and a rope

of pearls worth \$1,000,000 (approx-
imately \$5,000,000).
At the Durbar following King
George's coronation, Hurri was at-
tired in robes embroidered with
pearls, diamonds, emeralds and ru-
bies valued at \$3,000,000. When

he received the Prince of Wales
at Srinagar three years ago, he
wore a huge replica of the Prince's
three feathers in his turban. They
were composed entirely of dia-
monds, for which his agents had

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Blair avenue, was found guilty by
a jury yesterday in Circuit Judge
Ittner's court of larceny of an au-
tomobile on Oct. 1 and sentenced
to a year in city jail.

Gobbie, on the stand, repudiated
his confession made on Oct. 2, the
day after his arrest, and declared
it was obtained only after he had
been beaten by several policemen
on three separate occasions. After
the third beating, he said, in which
a ranking officer at the North Mar-
ket Street Station took part, he
was given an hour to confess and
fabricated a story of stealing the
car to save himself from further
punishment. His wife and parents
also testified that when they visited
him at the station the day after
his arrest they saw numerous
bruises on his back when he
changed his shirt in their presence.

Police witnesses denied third-de-
gree methods had been used and
said Gobbie was covered with blood
when he was arrested, following
the wrecking of the automobile.

Patrolmen Drews and Stratton of
the North Market District testified
they were in the 2500 block of
St. Louis avenue on the night of
Oct. 1, when they saw an automob-
ile going east with the license
plate inverted. They pursued the
car, which collided at Thirteenth
street with a motor cycle, injuring
two persons. A block further east
the machine crashed into a lamp
post and Gobbie was arrested as he
ran from the car. It was later
identified as a stolen car.

FORMER JUDGE ING SLATED FOR PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 5.—
Former Circuit Judge Almon Ing
of Poplar Bluff, a Republican, is
slated for appointment by Govern-
or-elect Baker as a member of the
State Public Service Commission.
It was learned today. Baker today
declined definitely to confirm the
report, but stated it was under
consideration and he would make
an announcement within a few
days.

It is understood the appointment,
which is to fill an existing vacancy
in the Public Service Commission,
will be made at once through Gov.
Hyde.

Ing was defeated last month for
re-election as Circuit Judge of the
Thirty-Third Judicial Circuit. He
was in Jefferson City today to con-
fer with Republican friends.

Ing was elected Prosecuting At-
torney of Wayne County in 1904
and later moved to Poplar Bluff.
He was elected Prosecuting At-
torney of Butler County in 1904 and
1906. In 1914 he won the election
as a Representative in the Legisla-
ture and was elected to the circuit
judgeship in 1915.

The vacancy in the Public Ser-
vice Commission was caused by the
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sire, your account will be arranged
so that you need not start paying
until 1925! Take advantage of
these amazing values Saturday!
Come in—open an account and
dress up from head to foot on
credit—make this a Clothing
Christmas—be better dressed—
stand out from the crowd.

FEDERAL
DEPARTMENT STORES
416 N. SEVENTH ST.
Opposite Busy Bee on 7th Street

We Suggest—
Give a practical gift
of clothing—or some-
thing from our complete
stock of Men's and
Women's Apparel,
Shoes, Hats, Hosiery,
Lingerie, Shirts, Neck-
wear, Aluminumware,
etc. Pay during 1925.

Pay Next Year

**\$5 Gift
Check
Free—
Get Yours
Right
Now**

**Open
Every
Evening
Until
Christmas
to
Serve
You**

**Never Before Has
\$5
Bought Such a Fine
Outfit!!**

Let your money work for you—let your
money lie in the bank—use your credit
for your clothes! A \$5 bill will buy
your complete outfit from head to foot
—a beautiful, new, advance style hat,
a luxuriously fur-trimmed coat, a stylish
new dress, a pair of silk hose and won-
derful footwear.

Pay Us in 1925!

Arrange the payments to suit your
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SHOES

Don't Rub

the life out of your clothes. Pro-
tect them from the wear and tear
of the ordinary washing methods
by using Stauffer's, for 25 years the
favorite laundry bar in St. Louis.
Simply boil the dirt out. Will
not injure the finest fabrics.

Every grocer sells Stauffer's. One
bar of Stauffer's equals two of soap.
Over a million and a half bars sold
in St. Louis last year.

Use
STAUFFER'S
LAUNDRY TABLETS

SPECIAL SELLING OF CLARENDON PLAYER- PIANOS

20% REDUCTION

Direct from factory to
your home, thereby assur-
ing you a brand-new Piano,
equipped with all 1925 im-
provements. Each Piano
carries factory guarantee.
One price, cash or terms.
Over 1000 of these Play-
ers in use in St. Louis
homes.

Orders for Christmas de-
livery accepted until Dec.
30.
See and Hear Samples
on Display in our
Showrooms.
Write for Catalogue and Price List.

Kirkland
204 North Twelfth St.

ADVERTISEMENT

St. Louis Is Railway
Hub of the United States
Centered in Union Station are
26 railways, 19 of them great
trunk line systems, which extend
from St. Louis to everywhere like
spokes from a hub, reaching all
markets.

Upholstered furniture from the
Prufrock-Litton Co. Factory, 4th
and St. Charles, is shipped to all
parts of the United States daily
—maintaining salesrooms in New
York City and Grand Rapids,
Mich.

Because they manufacture they
can sell at factory prices to you
in St. Louis. Select a new Living-
Room Suite or comfortable up-
holstered chair today or tomorrow.

\$500 In F Wh An Exchange, U

These Firms Are
Participating in the
First Distribution:

Benjamin Motor Co.
3021 Locust St.
McVee Motor Co., Inc.
3187 Delmar Bl.
Southwest Nash Co.
2039 Locust St.
Ward Motor Co., Inc.
3022 Locust St.

Lambert Graves Motor
Co., 4433 Lindell Bl.
Deluxe Automobile Co.
8128 Locust Bl.
Schure Motor Co.
2038 Olive St.

Wider Imp. & Auto Co.
1015 and Locust
3114 Locust
5800 Gravois
7159 Manchester

Callahan Automobile Co.
of St. Louis
Locust at Leonard
Lewis Automobile Co.
2018 Olive St.
Grisham-Johnson
Motor Sales Co.
3109 S. Kingshighway

Franklin Motor Car Co.
2116 Locust St.
Moss Motor Car Co.
3115 Locust St.
St. Louis Auto Sales Co.
2027-29 Olive St.

Wider Motor Car Co.
1817 Locust St.
Hend City Auto Co.
2007 Locust St.
Johnson Auto Co.
4007 Olive St.
J. M. Lederer & Co.
2026 Locust Bl.

For Complete Rules, See P

\$2,000,000 Insurance Policy.
CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 5.—A \$2,000,000 insurance policy was issued on the life of Powell Crockett, of Cincinnati. It was issued by the Commercial Union Assurance Co. of New York. More than 23 companies reported to have underwritten the policy, which requires an annual premium payment of \$75,000. Crockett is a manufacturer of radio apparatus.

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the life out of your clothes. Protect them from the wear and tear of the ordinary washing methods by using Stauffer's, for 25 years the favorite laundry bar in St. Louis. It simply boils the dirt out. Will not injure the finest fabrics.

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Use for washing dishes, cleaning fine furniture, woodwork, floors, etc.

USE STAUFFER'S LAUNDRY TABLETS

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20% REDUCTION

Direct from factory to your home, thereby assuring you a brand-new Piano, equipped with all 1924 improvements. Each Piano carries factory guarantee. One price, cash or terms. Over 3000 of these Players in use in St. Louis homes.

Orders for Christmas delivery accepted until Dec. 31. See and Hear Samples on Display in our Showrooms.

Write for Catalogue and Price List.

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St. Louis Is Railway

Club of the United States

Centered in Union Station are

highways, 12 of them great

trunk line systems, which extend

from St. Louis to everywhere like

spokes from a hub, reaching all

markets.

Exquisite furniture from the

Franklin Linton Co. Factory, 4th

and St. Charles, is shipped to all

parts of the United States daily

maintaining salesrooms in New

York City and Grand Rapids,

Mich.

Because they manufacture they

can sell at factory prices to you

in St. Louis. Select a new Living

Room Suite or comfortable, up-

dated chair today or tomorrow.

TWO NEGROES INDICTED FOR CHESTERFIELD BANK ROBBERY

Pair Alleged to Have Escaped With \$4200 Following Holdup on Nov. 12

Indictments charging first degree robbery were returned at Clayton yesterday against Robert Hill and Edward Williams, negroes, identified as two of the robbers who escaped with \$4200 in a raid on the Farmers' State Bank of Chesterfield, Mo., Nov. 12.

Hill and Williams were arrested when Detective Sergeant Ira Cooper, a negro, learned that two negroes and a white man had divided a large sum of money in a tailor shop at 1825 North Pendleton avenue two hours after the Chesterfield robbery. Thomas Dickens, 24, a white man, arrested subsequently, confessed to police that he received \$160 for driving the automobile used in the robbery. He said Hill and Williams proposed the robbery scheme to him while loitering in the corridors of the Municipal Courts Building.

The two negroes have steadfastly denied any knowledge of the crime, despite Dickens' statement and identification by employees of the bank. Hill is 23 years old, and lived at 2842 Fairfax avenue. Williams is 24 years old, and lived at 2806 Fairfax avenue. Hill is under a two-year penitentiary sentence as the result of a conviction in Circuit Court here last year on a charge of picking pockets. He recently attempted to have himself committed under this sentence, but was ordered held at City Jail for county authorities. Williams and Dickens are held at Clayton.

LOCATES STORMS BY "STATIC"

Navy Turns Radio Bugbear to Advantage at Station in Canal Zone.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Radio enthusiasts who have been bothered by "static" when listening in may get a little consolation out of the fact that the navy has found a way to turn this bugbear into useful channels in locating storms in the tropics in connection with aircraft operations.

By using a loop antenna and ordinary receiving set weather observers at the naval station of Coco Solo, Canal Zone, were able to observe the static not only to detect the approach of thunderstorms and other atmospheric disturbances, but also to determine their direction and approximate time of arrival.

DEATH DUE TO HEART ATTACK

PANA, Ill., Dec. 5.—The recondite coroner's jury of Shelby County, inquiring into the death of J. E. Crockett of Shelby County, found dead in his office at Shelbyville on the night of Nov. 6, has returned a verdict of death from heart disease. A phial that had contained aspirin was found on his desk and also a note to his wife.

Crockett had been defeated for State's Attorney on the Democratic ticket Nov. 4, and it was believed at time of death he had committed suicide. An autopsy disclosed that a heart attack had caused his death. The note to his wife read: "Ku Klux Klan are after me in hoods and robes, and each with gun in hand and I fear to return home." The Klan had opposed his election. Crockett was formerly Mayor of Shelbyville.

Missouri Road Conditions.

Kansas City—Cloudy; roads muddy.

St. Joseph—Cloudy; light snow; roads muddy.

Joplin—Cloudy; cold; roads good.

Jefferson City—Cloudy; roads muddy.

Columbia—Cloudy; roads muddy.

SHOEMART "The Place to Buy Shoes" 711 WASHINGTON

SATURDAY SPECIALS



Boys' Brogues

\$4 Value

\$2.95

Heavy, stormproof Brogues in tan, with brass eyelets—perforated, as shown, and with broad extension soles and rubber heels. Sizes 1 to 5 1/2.

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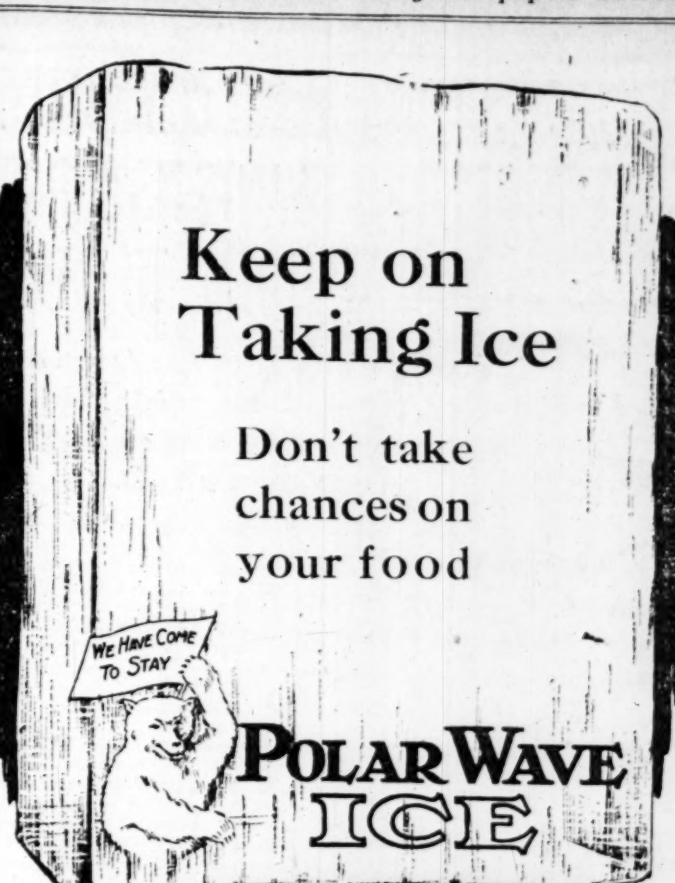
Silk Hosiery

in Xmas Gift Boxes

\$1.35

2 Pks., \$2.60 3 Pks., \$3.85

An excellent grade of first-quality, pure thread Silk Hosiery in all of the popular shades; full fashioned with lisle tops and feet. Packed one, two or three pairs to the box.



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BEEF TENDERLOIN

At About Half the Regular Price

The choicest part of the beef; no bone or waste whatever; 2 1/2 to 4 pounds each; whole Tenderloin—none cut during this sale;

36c

Milk-Fed Spring Chickens, pound . . . 31 1/2c
Small Stewing Hens, pound . . . 26 1/2c
Rib or Loin Pork Roast, pound . . . 17 1/2c

CONRAD'S SPECIALTY STORE
St. Louis' Leading Downtown Food Store
8th & Locust (409 N. 8th St.)

Imported Camembert Cheese, box . . . 49c
Imported Roquefort Cheese, pound . . . 59c
Chicken Salad, pound, 98c; half pound, 50c
Mocha Cream Layer Cake, each . . . 49c
Braided Hazelnut Stollen, each . . . 34c
Large 54-Size Grapefruit, 3 for . . . 25c

Fancy Baskets Fruit
Ideal for gift purposes, especially to someone in the hospital; Conrad's pack them attractively and artistically; priced \$10, \$7.50, \$5 and as low as . . . **\$1.50**



MINE HOST to Generations of Travelers

Now The **MAGNIFICENT, NEW**

Book-Cadillac

on This Detroit Site of Historic Hospitality

WHEN the Sieur Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac stepped ashore at the present site of Detroit on July 23, 1701, he brought as one of his trusted lieutenants, Jacques Campau, a sturdy pioneer of New France.

Enduring the rugged life of the frontier, surviving even the lost political fortunes of his chief, Jacques Campau found wealth and happiness in the small trading post that was later to reach the proportions of a metropolis.

Today in Detroit, the Fourth City of America, the descendants of Jacques Campau announce the completion of a palatial hotel bearing their name and the name of Detroit's founder—the Book-Cadillac.

As far back as most of the traveling public remembers, there has been a Cadillac Hotel in Detroit. In the days when the foremost hotels were operated on the American plan, the fame of the Cadillac's cuisine and creature comforts was heralded from coast to coast.

For thirty-six years, the old hostelry served its clientele faithfully, until the growth and progress of the city demanded larger and more adequate hotel quarters.

The new Book-Cadillac rises on the site of the former hotel at the intersection of Washington Boulevard and Michigan Avenue. Towering twenty-nine stories above the street, with twelve hundred rooms and bath it is the tallest hotel structure in the world.

Architects of the Book-Cadillac have succeeded admirably in providing a proper balance of comfort between the luxurious public rooms and the home-like guest chambers.

The lobby and lounge are on the floor above the street level, the ground floor being allotted to eighteen small shops. Main restaurant, tea room and kitchen are also on lobby level.

1924 Detroit's Finest Hotel

OPENING ON DECEMBER 8TH

On the plot of ground now occupied by the Book-Cadillac, an hotel has stood for 86 years.

The first of record was the Temperance Hotel, built in 1838.

Standing until 1872, this pioneer hotel was succeeded by the Ancestral House, a four story red brick edifice that catered to a generation of travelers.

After 37 years, the Ancestral House gave way to the first Hotel Cadillac, built in 1885.

Now the ancient Cadillac passes its heritage to the new Book-Cadillac, the tallest hotel structure in the world.

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\$500 In Prizes for Names of Your Friends Who Are Going to Buy An Exchange, Used Automobile

These Firms Are Participating in the Prize Distribution:

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BOOK-CADILLAC HOTEL COMPANY

ROY CARRUTHERS President

R. J. TOMPKINS Resident Manager

DETROIT

MANILA PLANS TO AID NEEDY FILIPINO STUDENTS

Insular Government Considers Appointing Agent on Pacific Coast.

By the Associated Press.
MANILA, Nov. 29.—The appointment of a Philippine Government

representative on the Pacific Coast of the United States, to look after the interests of Filipinos, especially young immigrants who are seeking employment to support themselves while at college, is under consideration by insular officials in view of the precarious situation of several hundred such students.

Manuel S. Rustia, Filipino commercial agent in Seattle, reports that no fewer than 700 Filipino students have arrived at that port during the last two months. "This is becoming a serious problem for the Filipino community here," said Rustia, "and the difficulties are expected to increase during the coming winter."

BOND COMMITTEE WANTS ITS BUDGET TOTAL TO STAND

Votes to Ask Aldermen to Make Final Whatever Sum It Agrees on Thursday for 1925.

Confronted with the necessity for early action in preparing the budget of bond money expenditures for 1925, and the desire of various elements to see past projects hastened, the Citizens' Supervisory Bond Issue Committee yesterday afternoon discussed the tentative budget submitted by the Board of Public Service and voted to make it a special order of business for final determination next Thursday.

An ordinance schedule designed to hold the tax rate down fixes the amount of bonds to be issued next year at \$6,000,000, but the tentative budget calls for \$11,955,000. The committee voted to recommend to the Board of Aldermen that whatever total it finds desirable for the 1925 program be fixed, by amending the schedule, as the amount of bonds to be issued next year.

This decision was unanimous except for the vote of Chairman Carter, who said he was largely responsible for bond-issue campaign promises that the schedule would be adhered to.

Suggests Initiative Action.
A suggestion by Circuit Judge Killoren, at a public hearing preceding the committee discussion, attracted interest. It was that the people be asked to determine by initiative at the spring election whether the ordinance schedule for bond issuance must be followed or the Supervisory Committee be allowed to follow its judgment in altering the schedule.

Publication of the tentative budget was made on Nov. 21. It includes \$150,000 for architects for the new courthouse facing Memorial Plaza, as the 1925 part of that project; \$50,000 for architects' fees for the municipal auditorium and convention hall, and \$15,000 for similar fees in laying out the plaza.

Prominent among those who urged the Supervisory Committee for consideration of things in which they were interested were representatives delegated to attend the hearing by the Associated Retailers and the Convention, Publicity and Tourist Bureau. The former chiefly urged that anything possible be done to hasten bond projects in general, while the latter pressed for early construction of the auditorium.

Nearly every speaker turned from discussion of general enlisting of bond work, to the desire for some special project. The Associated Retailers' suggestions were advanced about 10 days ago and published then. Morton J. May, president of that organization; Thomas W. Williams, T. E. Williams and Aaron Fuller were its representatives who spoke.

Plans of Retailers.
May said the retailers wanted to see all the bond work completed within 19 years, but expressed fear that the present rate of progress would not accomplish that. Garland asked for better lights and pavements downtown and a well-paved route to McKinley bridge. Williams advocated making the bond schedule cover rate of expenditure instead of rate of issuance. Fuller said he'd like to see the bond work done in five years and have some bright lights so people could find his department store.

Spokesmen of the Convention Bureau for the auditorium were H. W. Geller, president; Goodman King and C. E. Williams. They pointed out that the city is losing conventions, and the money and advertising they bring, by lack of a convention hall. They urged that the hall be built within the next two years. Williams said convention attendants would more than double the large sums they spend here annually if we had the facilities to entertain more.

Alderman Wimer suggested that some interested organization might privately assemble all the property needed for the auditorium under one ownership, from which the city could acquire it, to save time and cost of condemnation proceedings. Chairman Carter said it was the understanding the auditorium would be on Market street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, facing Memorial Plaza.

Courthouse Architects' Fees.
Circuit Judges Calloun and Killoren, Arthur Kammerer of the St. Louis Bar Association and William R. Gilbert, a lawyer, spoke for the Courthouse architects' fees, stressing the urgent need of a new structure.

Other pleas for inclusion of items in the budget were by Irvin Bettmann, chairman of the Board of Children's Guardians, for a grand building on the city farm for delinquent girls, Meramec Hills; Christy Farrar, Edmond A. B. Garesche, Robert L. McLaren and Alderman Wimer, for improvement of northern Goodfellow avenue; F. C. Lake of the Downtown Improvement Association, for a revolving fund; Dr. T. M. Sayman, for better lights and pavement on Franklin avenue; C. E. Williams, for better lights downtown.

Convention Bureau interest in the auditorium was aroused at a luncheon of the directors and representatives of various civic organizations and numerous city officials, at Hotel Statler yesterday. About 150 attended. President H. W. Geller said that convention vis-

itors spent more than \$9,000,000 here last year, and that St. Louis stood next to New York and Chicago in importance as a convention city. The only facility lacking to handle more and bigger conventions, he said, was a suitable meeting place.

Statements of other speakers, summarized, were:
Thomas W. Garland—The Bond Supervisory Committee has stuck to the letter, but not the spirit, of pre-election promises. It ought to act faster.
C. E. Williams—The big conven-

tion of the National Shoe Retailers was offered St. Louis, center of the shoe industry, for 1924, but the local committee had to decline, for lack of a meeting and exhibition hall.
Mrs. Philip N. Moore—The General Federation of Women's Clubs turned St. Louis down for its 1924 convention, for lack of a hall. The 1925 session will be asked to send the 1928 meeting here; will St. Louis be ready?
Isaac Heiges—Fifty thousand Shriners will convene here and spend \$5,000,000 if given an audi-

torium.
Robert E. Lee—Troubles locating the annual automobile show will be ended by the auditorium, and visiting automobiles dealers will spend more than the Shriners.
F. W. A. Vesper—Gave up trying to bring the big National Dairy Show here because of the lack of exhibition space.
John C. Tobin, president of School Board—The auditorium would enable holding big educational conventions.
Paul Wetland—Money spent by convention visitors will pay for

dividends on the bond issue.
Mistake Made, Kildare, Ill. Superintendent of Public Service to auditorium.
Morton J. May: Spend money.
Health Commissioner—It's an eye-opening diagram of place facilities of sanitation hygiene in meeting places. No hall where ordinary space can be had.

Advertisements
Killogg's Bran delights in bringing health to children. But they wouldn't eat ordinary bran. Then their father told them of Killogg's Bran, cooked and milled. What a difference! He told the story in his letter:
Dear Sir:
I wish to express my appreciation of your bran, which I have used for my children this summer. It had a great deal of trouble with them through constipation, and bran had been the most satisfactory remedy but they could not be induced to take the old variety. . . . because they disliked them so. They enjoy the bran and consider it an essential ingredient of their porridge. For one whose children have not been helped in this way can appreciate the relief there is in having their bowels move regularly.
The original of this letter is on file

Goldman & Cuquet
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS
705 OLIVE ST.

A Dollar a Week Don't "Dig So Deep"

Dignified Credit

Don't Pay a Cent 'Til After Christmas

Make It a Real Merry Christmas

Paying a Little Every Week Makes Santa Claus "Work Overtime"

The Gift of a Good Watch Means Lifetime of Christmas Spirit!

The Famous **ILLINOIS or ELGIN**

Seventeen jewels adjusted in an engraved or plain case of white or green gold has been a Christmas favorite for years. It's guaranteed to please "minute men" who demand "unfailing" service.

DOLLAR A WEEK! \$31.50

Just the same for Cash

The Newest in **LADIES' WRIST WATCHES**

Jeweled and Greenwich adjusted in fashion's latest shapes and case designs of white gold—price doesn't mean much; trust-worthy is the "watchword" of this store.

Special..... \$15

ONE DOLLAR A WEEK

Is Paying Without "Pinching"

Make Your Choice **CHRISTMAS SILVER**

This value is an "eye-opener" to "wide awake" buyers—it is 1917 ROGERS' SILVER—guaranteed a lifetime and it's a new pattern you won't see on everybody's table.

25 Pieces Complete \$22.60 Beautiful Chest

DOLLAR A WEEK

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STORE No. 58

SATURDAY, DEC. 6, 8:30 A. M.

AT No. 5513 PERSHING AV. NEAR BELT

ALL ARE INVITED

FREE A BEAUTIFUL FLOWER TO EACH VISITOR. YOU WON'T BE ASKED TO MAKE A PURCHASE.

ANDY GUMP AND FAMILY **FREE** TO CHILDREN ACCOMPANIED BY PARENTS

MEAT MARKET IN THIS STORE

Piggly Wiggly

108 Stores America's Largest Credit Clothiers

GATELY'S

Second Floor, Upstairs Over Kresge's
Corner 6th and Washington Avenue
Nearby Branch Stores at East St. Louis, Alton, Decatur, Centralia.

BUY ON PAYMENTS

FREE

This Lovely 7 Piece WATERSET

Our Christmas Gift to You FREE!

We are making this most generous offer in the spirit of the happy yuletide season and we want you to consider this beautiful 7-piece Cut Glass Water Set as our Christmas gift to you! Pay only \$5 Down for any advertised special Saturday—Water Set Free with any purchase of \$20 or over.

\$5 DOWN EASY PAYMENTS

Fur-Trimmed Coats

\$32.50

Stunning Coats, all new styles, just arrived from New York. Lovely collars and cuffs of contrasting furs. \$5 down; pay balance on easy payments.

1/4 Off on Dresses

Clearing sale of ladies' Dresses. Take your choice of any Dress in the store (except beaded evening Gowns, regular prices).

\$5 Secures a Suit or Overcoat

Buy a Suit or Overcoat, wear it now, pay the balance on easy payments. \$5 Down is all you need. See these values Saturday, men.

\$27.50

Boys' Suit or Overcoat

Big values for the boys. An unusual showing Saturday. \$1 down will do.

\$10.95

Open Saturday Night Until Nine

25 Pieces DISH SET

LOOK FOR THE YELLOW SIGNS

STORE OPEN

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ENTRANCE

ADVERTISEMENT

Kellogg's Bran delights father bringing health to children

My little kids—they needed bran. But they wouldn't eat ordinary bran. They didn't like them. Kellogg's Bran, cooked and flaked. What a difference! He ate the bran in his letter: "I wish to express my appreciation of your bran, which I have used for my children this summer. It had a great deal of trouble with them through constipation, and bran was the most satisfactory remedy. But they could not be induced to eat it until I saw your advertisement. I took the bran and consider it an essential ingredient of my diet. I am sure these children have not been so healthy in this way can appreciate the relief there is in having their meals more regular." The original of this letter is on file

at the Kellogg Company, Battle Creek, Mich.) Constipation is a dangerous disease. It should not be neglected. But do not try halfway measures in seeking relief. Kellogg's Bran is ALL bran. And it takes ALL bran to be 100% effective. Kellogg's Bran is guaranteed to bring permanent relief, if eaten regularly, in the most chronic cases. If it fails, your grocer will return your money. Eat two tablespoonfuls daily—in chronic cases, with every meal. Eat it with milk or cream. The flavor is delicious. Sprinkle it on other cereals. Cook it with hot cereals. Try it in the recipes on every package. It will bring you health. Begin eating it today. Read in Battle Creek. Sold by all grocers.

\$6,228,000 IN STATE HIGHWAY CONTRACTS LET

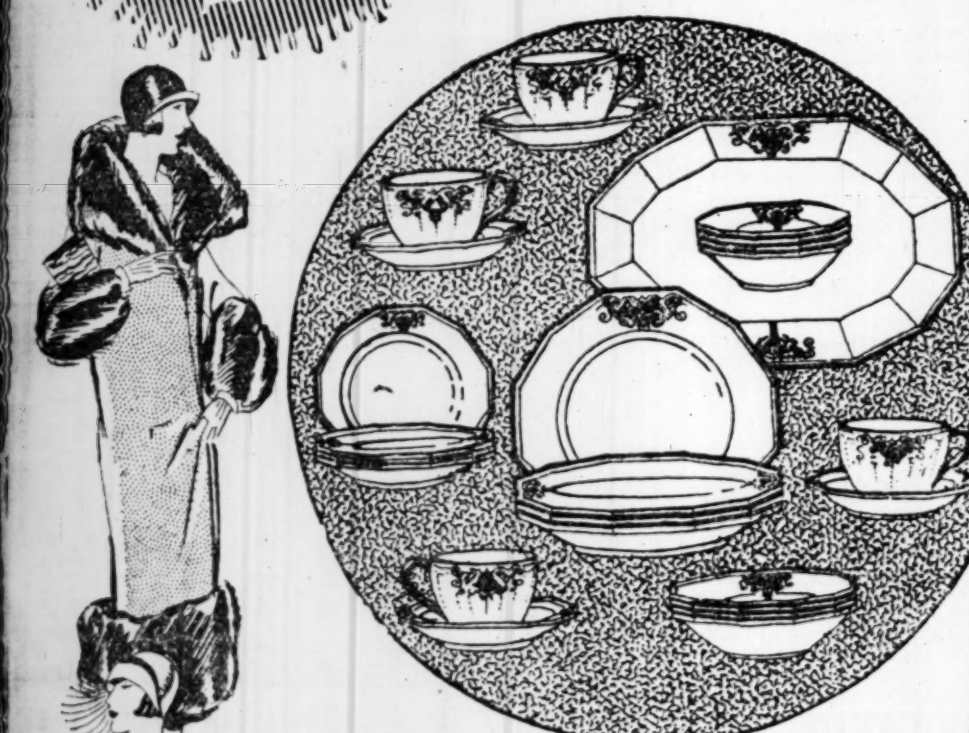
Missouri Commission at Meeting Here Approved Bids for More Than 217 Miles of Roads.

The Missouri State Highway Commission, meeting at Hotel Jefferson yesterday, approved contracts for 217.982 miles of highway construction in Missouri, representing an expenditure of \$6,228,351.26. The successful contractors were, for the most part, those who made the lowest bids at the lettings on Nov. 25 and 26 at Jefferson City, the largest since the adoption of the \$60,000,000 State

road program and made possible by the adoption Nov. 4 of Amendment No. 5, increasing automobile licenses by 50 per cent and providing a 2-cent tax on gasoline. Of the contracts let yesterday all but 30.272 miles are for high-type surface, primary roads, chiefly by the St. Louis-Kansas City highway and the St. Louis-Cape Girardeau-Sikeston road. In these contracts, State Highway Engineer B. H. Piepmeyer insisted upon adding a special clause calling upon contractors to agree to certain "fundamentals" of pavement construction as being beyond controversy or argument. The clause provides that there must be proper grading; that there must not be less than one-fourth inch variation in 10 feet of pavement; that the surface must be properly "cured" by water or calcium chloride; that the concrete must be turned a full minute in the mixer; that the edges must be protected during the "curing" process; and that the finished road must be kept barricaded full 30 days. The Successful Contractors. The successful contractors for primary roads, high-type service, were: Cape Girardeau County—9.881 miles, W. P. McGeorge Construction Co. of Pine Bluff, Ark., \$198,746.97; State to furnish \$78,221.20 in materials. Cass County—14.945 miles, Dobson and Robinson, Lincoln, Neb., \$229,629.92; State to furnish \$217,749.71 in materials. De Kalb County—9.937 miles, C. H. Atkinson Trucking Co., Watertown, N. D., \$186,280.63; State to furnish \$127,325.77 in materials. Howard County—12.216 miles, Davis Construction Co., Booneville, Mo., \$254,739.19; State to furnish \$172,017.91 in materials. Jefferson County—22.717 miles, W. F. Smith & Son, Bensalem, Ind., \$522,357.83; State to furnish \$123,865.52 in materials. Madison County—3.942 miles, Pickus Engineering and Construction Co., \$203,990.03; State to furnish \$78,439 in materials. Saline County—2.439 miles, S. J. Groves & Sons, Minneapolis, Minn., \$227,079.51; State to furnish \$315,824.44 in materials. Carroll County—4.443 miles, Cameron-Joyce-Smith & Elder, Knoxville, Tenn., \$27,124.27; State to furnish \$79,039 in materials. Bollinger County—18.055 miles, Rouse Construction Co., Cape Girardeau, \$429,268.83; State to furnish \$142,509.69 in materials. Cooper County—12.223 miles, V. E. Koch, Joplin, Mo., \$229,505.10; State to furnish \$146,605.58 in materials. Lafayette County—24.913 miles, A. L. Patterson & Co., Macon, Ga., \$297,332.02; State to furnish \$181,705 in materials. St. Francois County 16.767 miles, W. C. Johnson, Belleville, Ill., \$436,002.57; State to furnish \$199,925.57 in materials. Warren County—12.317 miles, W. D. Lowrey Construction Co., \$167,463.51; State to furnish \$175,125.03 in materials. The Secondary Work. Secondary road contracts were awarded as follows: Christian County — 8.561 miles graded earth, J. T. Cox, Branson, Mo., \$26,005.37; State to furnish \$1223.63 in materials. Douglas County — 1.941 miles gravel, Summerfield-Jones, Billings, Mo., \$39.14. Gasconade County—2.763 miles gravel, W. C. Christensen, Dixon, Mo., \$56,959.34; State to furnish \$2864.40 in materials. Putnam County—6.584 miles gravel, Material Supply & Construction Co., Boone, Ia., \$32,454.47; State to furnish \$44,942.24 in materials. Livingston County—10.09 miles graded earth, R. P. Harper Construction Co., Leona, Kan., \$72,676.70. Ste. Genevieve County—2.216 miles gravel, Richmond Construction Co., Advance, Mo., \$29,311.59. Sullivan County—2.097 miles gravel, Material Supply & Construction Co., Boone, Ia., \$11,200.45; State to furnish \$12,811.52 in materials. Webster County—4.939 miles gravel, Summerfield-Jones, Billings, Mo., \$36,673.64; State to furnish \$24,879.21 in materials. Full Commission Present. The meeting was attended by the full commission, consisting of Chairman Theodore Gary and members S. S. Connett of St. Joseph; C. D. Matthews of Sikeston and Murray Carleton of St. Louis. A delegation representing the Missouri Daughters of the American Revolution, headed by Mrs. W. R. Painter of Carrollton, State regent, and including Mrs. L. M. Outley of St. Louis, Mrs. W. W. Dotz of Mexico, Mrs. S. H. Cuples and Mrs. Samuel McKnight Green of St. Louis, appeared before the commission to ask for speedy completion of the eight-mile stretch of road connecting Arrow Rock in Cooper County with the St. Louis-Kansas City highway. Arrow Rock is one of the oldest towns in Missouri, is rich in historical lore, the delegation pointed out. The commission announced the request would have special consideration.

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PRESIDENT, IN ADDRESS TO LIVESTOCK MEN, PREDICTS BRIGHTER ERA FOR FARMER

He Urges Efficient Marketing and Better Utilization of Meat Products—Condemns Price-Fixing.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Wiser production, more efficient marketing and more intelligent utilization of meat products were laid as a foundation on which the livestock industry might be raised from depression, by President Coolidge in an address last night at the International Livestock Exposition.

after he had detailed what the Government had done and proposed to do for the livestock men and the farmers of the country. Mr. Coolidge declared he desired from the forum provided by the Livestock Exposition to make a pledge and to issue an appeal to the farmers of the nation.

"My pledge is that your Government will do everything possible and proper for a Government to do, to encourage and direct your activities toward the goal of prosperity, stability and security," he said. "My appeal is that farmers everywhere shall find ways in which to organize and associate themselves together in the determination to employ effectively every means of improvement that has been placed at their disposal."

Foresees Brighter Day.
With such a pledge carried out and such an appeal heeded, the President foresaw the dawn of a brighter day in the agricultural world.

"Every prospect seems to indicate that we are starting on a new era," he said. "There will be prosperity enough for all if we are willing to work for it and willing to remain on a sound basis. If we give way to selfishness, if we try to secure what we do not work for, if we adopt unsound financial methods and begin to quarrel over the rewards of industry, we can expect nothing but disaster and distress. I do not believe we are headed in that direction, but we shall be unless we beware, unless we are wise enough to be guided by the experience of other people in past history."

"Common Sense Intact."
"If anybody questions that the farming community of this country has become a community of men and women capable of dealing with affairs in the broadest and most inclusive sense, I should like to have the doubter share with me the privilege of discussing the problems of agriculture with some of the men and women who come straight from the farm to the White House for that purpose," said the President. "I should like to have him give an occasional hour to the sort of conferences which have become so familiar to me."

In these conferences the men and women of the soil appear as practical economists, as students of international relations, as organizers of big enterprises, as keen commentators on the problems of finance, international trade, of supply, demand, consuming capacity, producing possibilities and marketing opportunities. I should like to have the doubter know, as well as I know, that even in times of misfortune the farmer demonstrates a most reassuring capacity to keep his common sense intact, and to do his economic thinking on sound lines.

"There is altogether too much disposition in some quarters to assume that the farmer is peculiarly given to wild ideas and unsound notions about business, finance and economics. On the other hand, every distinct test in these respects has resulted in an overwhelming verdict from the farmers in favor of sanity, soundness, moderation, sense and reason in dealing with all their problems."

"Nobody is going to advance his own interests by playing upon the ignorance or selfishness or incapacity of the farmer," he said. "The visionary and the demagogue invariably discover that the farmer does not want their unsound proposals or panaceas. He does not demand special treatment and class favoritism. He wants a fair show, and when he gets it he can be relied upon to take good care of himself and to contribute substantially to the well-being of the rest of us."

Speaking primarily to livestock men and in a setting where the livestock industry was given first thought, Mr. Coolidge directed his remarks primarily to consideration of the problems of those who grow and deal in meat animals.

Steps taken by the Government to aid the farmer and stock grower were enumerated, the President mentioning the loans aggregating half a billion dollars made by the War Finance Corporation in the last three years, the seed loans to farmers of the Northwest, the establishment of the Intermediate credit banks, the organization of the Agricultural Credit Co., the institution of governmental control over packing and stockyard properties, the appropriations for better roads, the placing of a farmer on the Federal Reserve Board and the Shipping Board, and the protection of the existing tariff law.


Emphasizes Tariff.
The tariff was particularly emphasized, the President declaring that "we have built agriculture squarely into the structure of our protective system," and that "the American farmer must not be undersold at home by New Zealand mutton, Argentine beef, Canadian wheat, Danish butter, Bulgarian tobacco, Chinese eggs, or Cuban sugar."

"The present rates on imports have been criticized as sacrificing the farmer to the manufacturer," he said. "But, in fact, our tariff enables us to pay American workmen the highest wages in the world. High standards of living thus established have enabled the

people to consume, per capita, more than twice as much cotton, dairy products, poultry, tobacco, eggs, meats, sugar and animal fats as is consumed in continental Europe. The American farmer, while receiving the generous prices which protection assures him for many

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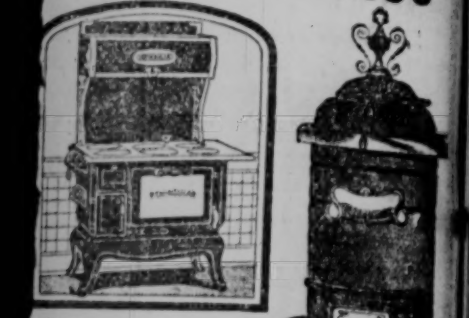
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PRESIDENT PREDICTS BRIGHTER ERA FOR FARMER

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"The farmer receives the maximum benefit possible from tariff duties on competing foreign products. In international trade, the flow of grain and hog products is outward, and, therefore, these receive less benefits of protection. But in the case of wool, sugar, eggs, dairy products, flaxseed, tobacco, nuts, fruits and other produce the flow is inward, they receive the full measure of protection and sell in the home market above the general commodity price index."

"Looking to the future, the Government must aid generously in developing a national agricultural policy on broadly constructive lines," he continued. "It will support any sound program to release the farmer from the individualistic competitive conditions under which agriculture has been conducted. It must encourage stability and centralized marketing as a substitute for the haphazard and wasteful distributing methods of the past."

"The principle of co-operation in producing, financing, buying and marketing must be encouraged to the utmost practical development. We must help the farmer to reduce his taxes, broaden his foreign market, and keep freight rates as low as possible while keeping the railroads efficient. This should be supplemented by the development of navigation in the Mississippi Valley and in the St. Lawrence River. I can think of nothing that will surely help the farmer so much as economy, economy in the local and National Governments. This remedy Washington is generously providing. These remedies have been effective at last. What we want now is the assurance of stability and continuing prosperity."

Not Beyond Solution.
"It cannot be that the problems of the farmer are beyond solution. His business and his welfare are all governed by natural and inevitable laws. What is necessary is an intensive study in order to find out what these laws are and provide for their application and enforcement. It is not so long ago that the financial and monetary system of our Government was maintained in an illogical and haphazard way. Sometimes it was a great abundance of currency and credit at other times there was a great stringency. After many repeated attempts at a remedy the whole subject was surveyed, all the facts assembled, the logical results admitted, whether they appeared to be popular or not, and a Government financial system adopted which was strong enough to meet all the requirements of the Great War. Without it disaster would have prevailed."

"Acting on a similar theory, I have entrusted what I believe to be a thoroughly representative and most ably equipped conference with making an analogous study of the farm problems. The members of this conference will be entirely free from any kind of political pressure."

In the consideration of these questions. The farm problem is not a political problem. It is an economic problem. It must have an economic solution. The conference can take a broad and inclusive view of the whole agricultural field, the production of fruits, grains, herds and flocks, and all other foods and materials that come from the farm. Out of their consideration I trust there may emerge a plan which will enable us to do for the agriculture the nation something like what has been done for the finances of the nation."

Warns Against Price Fixing.
Such a plan must be on a sound basis to be effective, the President added.

"We know by all experience that Government subsidies or price-fixing would increase production and aggravate the evil," he continued. "We might give way the surpluses, or buy and store them indefinitely; still the cost must come from the taxpayer, and the farmer is a taxpayer. But in the end these efforts always fail. The sound remedy is to reduce production and that is a remedy which will automatically apply itself if there is not artificial interference. Another point of attack is better marketing."

All plans, however, will fail, the President warned, unless the farmers take every advantage of them. "More than anything else, the farmer needs to know the truth about himself and his business," he asserted. "He needs to understand all the facilities that have been created, wherewith he can help himself. He needs to study them, and to learn to utilize them, both as an individual producer, and through co-operative organizations in buying and marketing. The time has come when the great farmers' organizations must be somehow linked together in greater and more effective co-operations than have yet been known."

"Neither the Government, nor the institutions of agricultural education, nor the benevolent purposes of society as a whole, can in the end do for the farmers the things that only the farmers can do for themselves. Experts and scientists may devise means to enhance and increase production. But there will be no cheaper, or greater production unless the millions of farmers shall employ these means. Masters of business organizations may work out plans for orderly production and orderly marketing, but unless the farmers will adopt these plans, they will produce no advantage."

Information for Consumers.
Developing his ideas of how the stock raising industry is to be improved financially, Mr. Coolidge said:

"Consumers also must be better informed. They should be taught that an inexpensive cut from a choice animal is better than a high-priced cut from an inferior animal. When such knowledge is generally disseminated and acted upon, there will be sufficient premium on the best meat to justify the farmer in producing it. The International this year is putting on demonstrations with the particular purpose of diffusing this kind of information among consumers. I am convinced

that there is today a wider field for useful service to the live stock farmer, in educating the housewives of the country in buying and utilizing their meats, than in encouraging the farmer to further expansion of production."

But the ideal adjustment would contemplate well-directed campaigns for wiser production, for more efficient marketing and for more intelligent utilization of meat products.

Big Home Demand.

"It is well within the probabilities that millions of people now living will read the returns of a census which will credit this country with far beyond 200,000,000 inhabitants. These will require to be fed. We may, therefore, look forward to a time not very far ahead of us when this country will have ceased to be an exporter of agricultural products, and will have become instead a heavy importer of them."

"When that time comes, our farmers will look back with wonderment to the time when such a thing as agricultural depression, resulting from overproduction, was possible. No interest of the nation is entitled to look upon the future with more confidence than our agriculture."

"It is true that some sections of the farming community have suffered severely in recent years because of the collapse in prices which followed the period of overstimulated production during the war. Had it not been for the women on the farms in many instances the disaster would have been complete. Their courage and devotion saved the situation. But the liquidation of the surpluses, both in actual supplies and in current production, has been carried far toward completion. The worst of this hard experience is behind us. The American farmer can look forward hopefully and even confidently to a time when his will again be regarded as the most independent and secure section of our population. He will reach this fortunate condition sooner, if without delay he will avail himself of the agencies and instrumentalities that have been set up to help him better his position."

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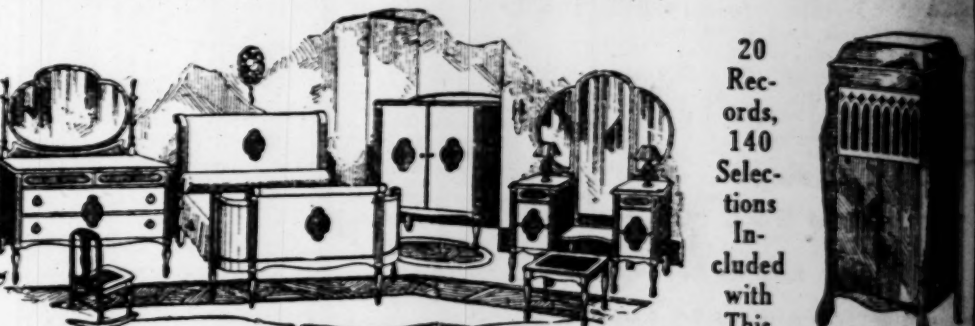


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COMMUNISTS SLAIN, THREE POLICEMEN WOUNDED AT REVAL

REVAL, Esthonia, Dec. 2.—Three communists, including ex-Deputy Somers of the Estonian Parliament, were killed and three policemen wounded in a night-long struggle by the police of a house in which participants of the recent communist outbreak had taken refuge. The house was surrounded last night and firing by both sides.

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The house was surrounded last night and firing by both sides

lasted until daybreak, when the police effected entrance.

Negro Bequeaths \$12,000 to Schools
SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 5.—The Caddo Parish School Board was bequeathed \$12,000 by Joe Herndon, wealthy negro, who died last week at Texarkana, Tex., his will probated yesterday disclosed. At one time a poor farmer, Herndon became almost a millionaire when oil was discovered on his Pine Island farm. The remainder of his estate was bequeathed to relatives, including \$16,000 to a niece, Pearl E. Randall, of Texarkana.

13 LEMONS IN GARDEN OF LOVE ARE ENOUGH

Mrs. Lafarge With That Many Husbands in 30 Years Will Not Wed Again.

Thirteen matrimonial lemons are enough. Mrs. Cora Lafarge is through with men. Never again will she walk up to the altar or the more modern Justice of the Peace with her hand tucked beneath the arm of a beaming Romeo. Never again will she limp into divorce court and ask the Judge to consign the erstwhile Romeo to the matrimonial ash-can.

Mrs. Lafarge, to paraphrase the old popular song, "has picked a lemon in the garden of love"—picked 'em 13 times, to be exact. At her home at 101 North Sixth street, East St. Louis, she was sure today—mightily sure—that she had had enough of matrimony.

On the occasion of other divorces there always has been a bright-hued background of hope, an undertone of expectant happiness that seemed to foretell another match in the not distant future. But 13 experiences with matrimonial specimens of the citrus family have imparted a saffron hue to her life and her attitude might now be better expressed in another once popular song, which ended, "I know I got more than my share."

"I'm afraid I'm soured on marriage," Mrs. La Forge told a Post-Dispatch reporter, carrying out the lemon motif. "I'm through with men. Maybe I'm unlucky, but I've never been able to find the right one and I'm not going to try again."

She opened the door a trifle wider and she talked on her philosophy of marriage.

"Marriage is a 50-50 proposition," she said, somewhat ungraciously. "It takes a lot of patience to keep peace. You can expect an argument once in a while and maybe a slap in the face, but when it comes to being beat up every day, it's too much. Mr. La Forge was cruel, just like a lot of the others. I stood it as long as I could and then I got a divorce—my last one."

Available statistics show that cruelty is the most frequently recurring grounds in her divorces. Nine decrees were granted for that legal reason. One marriage was annulled, two were ended by force for infidelity, both obtained by her, and one was ended by a husband who got a decree when she refused to live with him after he had got out of jail. The case with which she got divorced in effect a justification of her conduct, Mrs. Lafarge told the reporter.

"It wasn't my fault if we couldn't get along," she said. "If it had been I wouldn't have got divorced as easy as I did. I've never had any trouble getting one."

Mrs. Lafarge is 44 years and has behind her 30 years during which she was alternately living in conjugal bliss or single blessedness. Her first marriage was when she

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Each seat and back are upholstered in genuine mohair; built with the most approved seat and back web construction, over genuine chinchilla steel springs. Armrests extra, exactly as illustrated, settee and fireside chair or club chair.

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This handsome suite is made of an exceptionally, carefully selected quality of velvet. The pieces are large and massive. Easily open into a full-size bed. Marshall spring-seat construction. Full web bottom reinforcing.

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At \$127.50 you get an exceptionally large low-end bed, dresser with big plate mirror and chiffoniere with interior as shown in the illustration above. This Suite is richly embellished. During the DISCOUNT SALE, priced at...

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HERRIOT ASTONISHED BY MAGNITUDE OF AMERICAN COMMERCIAL ENTERPRISES

Tels of Visit to the Field
and Wamaker Stores—
Says Method of U. S. Ad-
vertising Is Founded on
Obsession.

By EDOUARD HERRIOT,
Premier of France.

Third Article. PARIS.
COMMERCE reproduces the
processes of industry: simpli-
fication and generalization.
Here as in the factory, it is the
magnitude of the proportions
which astonishes the visitor to the
United States. Suppose we enter
the Wamaker stores of Philadel-
phia, where, as elsewhere, we re-
ceived a graceful welcome as
Frenchmen. After having played
the "Triumphal March" by Grieg
and the "Ganctus" from the mass
of Saint Cecilia by Gounod, the
formidable organ attacked the
"Marseillaise" and the "Chant du
Depart."

They have kept living the mem-
ory of the war. How could it be
otherwise? The personnel of this
establishment had formed several
combat units and in particular the
103d Battery of Field Artillery. The
names of the dead were posted on a
copper plaque above the heads
of the arriving and departing
shoppers. Was I in a warehouse or
a temple?

The same impression of strength
and grandeur at Chicago in Mar-
shall Field & Co.'s store, "the large-
est in the world," I was told. The
directors had taken the pains to
drape the flag of our country at the
back of the entrance hall.
There are in this establishment 14-
000 employees to carry on the re-
tail sale, and 4000 more responsible
for the wholesale stores.

\$60,000,000 in Fire Insurance.
I was led first to the thirteenth
floor, into the refrigerators for the
conservation of furs; the insurance
on the riches stored in these cham-
bers represented \$60,000,000. On
an upper floor there was a little
hospital. All the employees re-
ceive free medical service at their
homes.

I crossed the counting rooms:
200 women were hardly enough to
verify the operations of the sales-
girls. Two hundred others were
working adding machines. The
employees have their club, with a
library and music room. The pub-
lic restaurant in the store serves
an average of 5000 persons a day,
a whole floor being devoted to it.
At the moment that we passed they
were giving a concert in the Nar-
cessus Room. My guides assured
me that it was the largest dining
room in the world.

French Authors in Demand.
I could not think of exploring
all the depositories, for they sell
everything—violins as well as rub-
ber tires; rugs as well as perfum-
ery. But I sought out the French
book counter and I questioned the
amiable woman who waited over
the distribution of our literature.
"Anatole France," she said, "finds
the most favor here in Chicago.
After him Pierre Loti and, for fam-
ily reading, Marcel Schwob, Paul
Rouget." They consider him a lit-
tle bit snobbish and behind the
times. But they read Roman Rol-
land. Maupassant is a little bit too
morbid for the people of Illinois.
"Are German books sold?"

"Not much, even though the
business is increasing." (German
influence seems to be still dormant,
but there is no doubt that it will
blossom anew.)

Corners Reserved for Art.
In this formidable bazaar of geo-
metric aspect, good taste has re-
served corners for art and given
asylum to fantasy. For example,
this room full of Chinese antiqui-
ties. In which the most precious ob-
jects were kept under glass, would
have charmed a Concorde. It con-
tained objects of the most supple
grace, fantasies in rock crystal, in
malachite, in rose quartz, adorable
white plaster and brown lacquer,
such as Korean ceremonial cups.
These great shops seem to me espe-
cially rich in glassware. I caught
a glimpse of one whole hall con-
secrated to the most delicate pro-
ductions of the Venetian glassmakers.
art. While visiting one of these
little museums, animated by the
art of my compatriots (the sales-
woman who showed me the Chinese
objects was from Montmorency), I
could almost forget that there was
in this immense organization much
that was rigidly mechanical.

The basements were organized
like a railroad system. Traveling
conveyors brought the merchan-
dise sold in different departments.
They sped out from here as many
as 24,000 packages in 24 hours. An
ingenious process enables them to
divide the merchandise, first ac-
cording to districts and then ac-
cording to streets. Before delivery,
if the article is to be charged, a
special service verifies the delivery
of clients. A system of 250,000
cards carries information on the
credit of buyers. Upstairs they
shower them with smiles; down-
stairs they take every precaution
against them.

Advertising in America.
This enormous effort multiplies
itself by advertising. One realizes
it on Broadway at night on what is
called the White Way. It begins
with a Woolworth store in which
nothing is sold at a price above 10
cents and where one can, never-
theless, outfit a household—hard-
ware, toilet objects, ribbons, jew-
els, office furniture, books (the

EDOUARD HERRIOT, Mayor
of Lyons and Premier of
France, has written ten articles
on his trip to America last year.
The distinguished Frenchman
who attained high literary rank
before he became Premier, has
recorded his impressions in a
light and pleasing style, and
with evidence of keen insight
and appreciation.
The articles, of which the fol-
lowing is the third, will appear
exclusively in the Post-Dispatch.

most amusing pell-mell. The
creator of these stores promised
himself to open one in every city
of more than 10,000 inhabitants.
With his profits he built the great
business cathedral which domi-
nates lower Manhattan. A few
steps further on is a restaurant
whose windows are garnished
with grapefruit. In which the
client, after serving himself, con-
sumes his repast on the right arm
of his chair enlarged to form a
small table.

Advertising is mistress at this al-
ways animated crossroad. Green,
yellow and red jewels glitter in con-
tinuous movement. You cannot
possibly escape the fact that a
certain brand of chewing gum must
be your choice. Golden light falls
in cascades. Electricity designs
embroideries, cuts laces and flows
from inexhaustible fountains. Lit-
tle imagination and not much in-
vention, but an overwhelming mass
of signs which parade, which turn,
which eclipse themselves to reap-
pear, brilliant and brutal.

Obsession Its Method.
"My method is founded on ob-
session," a professor of foreign
languages told me. This is the
method of American advertising.
It hems you in. It makes you pri-
soner. The 10 stories of the New
York Times Building are enveloped
with a blanket of flame, so active
that it can be seen, I am told, from
the open sea. A luminous bell
shings to announce to all the ech-
os of the world the superiority of
such a razor or such a soap. No
harmony of tone, on the contrary,
a deliberate discord, a shock. In
spite of everything, the obsessive
begins. After having protested
against the immodesty of a boasted
product, one surprises oneself by
thinking: "But if I tried it once!"
And in not commerce founded,
like law, on belief?
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NEW ESKIMO TRIBE FOUND BY RASMUSSEN IN CANADA

Danish Explorer Back From 20-
000-Mile Dog-Sled Trip From
Greenland to Alaska.
Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and
Chicago Daily News. Copyright, 1924.
LONDON, Dec. 5.—Capt. Knut
Rasmussen, the Danish explorer
who has just returned home after
a three years' trip along the north-
ern coast of Greenland and Ameri-
ca to Alaska, covering a distance
of 20,000 miles by dog sled, reports
the discovery in King William
Land, in Northern Canada, of a
strange Eskimo tribe called Net-
illek.

Members of this tribe, like those
of other tribes in that almost un-
known Arctic region, obtain water
by attacking their neighbors and
carrying off their young women.
The result is continuous intertribal
feuds. The men of the tribe lay
hidden ready to attack the white-
faced newcomers at an auspicious
moment.

The women, themselves, Capt.
Rasmussen found, were in the am-
bushings plot. Their intention was
to offer their siren embraces to the
strangers, whereupon the warriors
would rush from hiding and stab
the overconfident interlopers in the
back. The Rasmussen party, how-
ever, did not philander and
later chose to neglect the women,
addressing themselves directly to
the men, whose confidence they
won by approaching them without
arms.

Many of the natives whom Ras-
mussen met had never before
seen a white man. The explorer
recommends that further expedi-
tions should be undertaken in the
northernmost regions of America
with the governmental co-opera-
tion of Denmark, Canada and the
United States.

Further information from local
authorities agents are
being sent to the Arctic region
to investigate the Netillek tribe.
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riors' Prize.
Special Correspondence of the Post-Dis-
patch.
RYE, England, Nov. 22.—Rye
church bells, which have a history

dating back to 1360, are to be re-
hung. They had a great adventure in
1363, when the French landed at
Rye, then a seaport, pillaged the
town, and carried off the bells to
Normandy. Ten years later the
men of Rye and Winchelsea sailed
across the channel to recapture the
bells. They ravaged the Normandy

coast, and finally found the bells,
which they brought back in tri-
umph.
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people to church on Sundays ever
since.
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offers and see what is on the mar-
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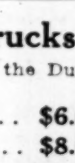
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OLD WEST END HOTEL TO BECOME A NEGRO HOSTELRY

First Residential Hotel in City, Closed for Eight Years, Purchased by Israel Brothers.

The West End Hotel, at Vandeventer avenue and West Belle place, the first residential hotel in the city, but which for six years has been closed because of the encroachment of negro residents upon the neighborhood, has been purchased by David D. and Harry J. Israel and will be made into a 300-room hotel for negroes.

"I am doing it to make good a campaign pledge," said David D. Israel today. "Two years ago, when I was candidate for Congress against L. C. Dyer, I told the negro voters I was going to build them a 300-room hotel. I wasn't elected. But I am going to keep that pledge."

Purchased for \$100,000, Israel and his brother purchased the property from the Plaza Hotel Co. for \$100,000. They have improvements, which will cost \$100,000 under way. A thorough renovation will be necessary for the building has been idle since after the Velled Prophet hall of 1918.

There are 175 rooms with telephone and bath in the structure and these are all to be repaired, redecorated and refurnished. The hotel will have a convention hall seating 2500 persons, a dining-room with tables for 1000, and four lodge rooms. In the building will be a drug store, a barber shop, a tailor shop, a beauty parlor and a billiard room. Dr. W. H. Tyler, a negro physician, will manage the convention and lodge halls, and has leased the drug store. The other shops in the building have been rented for negro stores.

The Israel brothers are now having plans drawn for an addition of 200 rooms to be erected at a cost of \$200,000 on the lot just south of the hotel building, which was included in the purchase. The refurnished hotel will be opened about March 1, Israel said, while construction on the new wing will begin about May 1.

"I couldn't keep my word and build on my lot at Twentieth and Chestnut streets," he said, "because that is included in the city's Plaza plan. So I bought the old West End Hotel. Congressman Dyer had promised the negro voters an anti-lynching bill and I the hotel. I think they'll get the hotel first."

Israel has not decided what his scale of prices will be, but he indicated it would be such as would enable him to keep the hotel filled. He plans to provide a service equal to the best white hotels, he said.

Operate Other Hotels.
The Israel Brothers are owners and operate the Portland, Madison, St. Francis and Princess Hotels and were former owners of Hotel Washington. They will staff their new purchase with negro employees from manager to housekeeper.

The West End Hotel was built in 1890 by the Forster Realty Company, the first residential hotel in St. Louis. Located just west of the then fashionable Vandeventer place, it was the scene of many brilliant weddings and other social functions.

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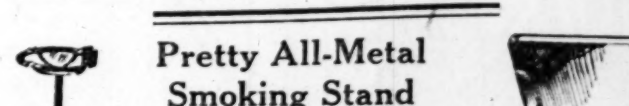
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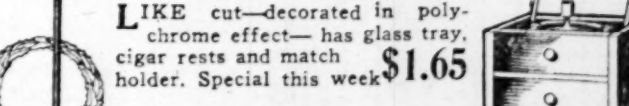
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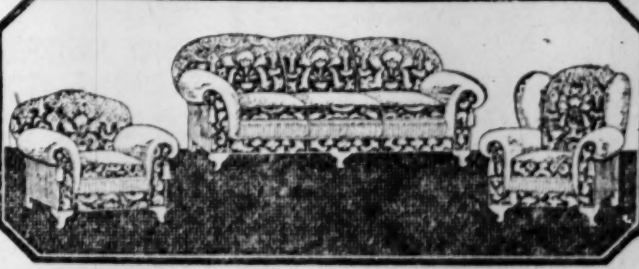
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RECREATION URGED FOR BETTER HEALTH

Dr. Henry S. Curtis Tells How
People Can Adjust Them-
selves to Environment.

Science and thought are so successful in eliminating factors which keep down population that within 100 years the world will have reached its limit of people, Dr. Henry S. Curtis, director of Physical Education for Missouri, told social workers and members of the Missouri Social Hygiene Association yesterday.

"The last 100 years have seen the world's population increase from 400,000,000 to 1,700,000,000," he continued. "War, which used to kill off vast numbers of people, is becoming out of fashion. Modern health, science and social work lengthen and maintain life."

"But while numbers of population are increasing the environment in which the people must exist is becoming so complex that many cannot adjust themselves to it. The best means for developing coordination and reflexes to make possible an existence in harmony with this speeded-up life of ours is recreation. It is essential."

Dr. Curtis spoke at a luncheon program at Hotel Claridge which was a part of the Institute of Social Hygiene being conducted by the Missouri Social Hygiene Association this week. Miss Harriet Vittum, head resident of Northwestern University Settlement House, Chicago, reinforced his views.

"Much of the difficulty with modern children comes from their lack of real recreation and their difficulty in finding a place in the modern tennement which they can call their own," she said.

A special session for fathers will be held in connection with the Social Hygiene Institute this evening when Dr. M. J. Exner, who has been in charge of the course of lectures, will speak at Pilgrim Congregational Church, Union and Enright avenues, instead of in Soldan High School, as originally announced. The final session of the institute will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the auditorium of the St. Louis Medical Society, 2525 Pine street, at which time Dr. Exner will answer written questions submitted by any person who has been attending his courses.

DARROW WILL SPEAK ON CAPITAL PUNISHMENT TONIGHT

Noted Criminal Lawyer Will Appear Before Jewish Educational League.

Clarence Darrow, Chicago attorney, who defended Leopold and Loeb for the murder of Robert Franks, will speak on "Capital Punishment" tonight at 8 o'clock at the Odéon before the Jewish Educational League. Lawrence McDaniel, former Circuit Attorney, will preside at the meeting.

Darrow is a noted criminal lawyer and has written several books upon the subject of crimes and punishments.

At the conclusion of his address there will be an open forum, where issues he has raised may be discussed.



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HELD ON MANN ACT CHARGE AFTER COUPLE ARE ARRESTED

Gossip of neighbors about the wife difference in the ages of a man and woman, who engaged rooms about a month ago at 2218 Famous avenue as Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, became so general that it reached the ears of Detectives Taylor and Spies of the 14th district, who made an investigation resulting in the arrest early today of the couple.

The two detectives reported the prisoners admitted they were not married. The man said his real name is George Smith, 48 years old. He told the detectives he described a wife and several children in New Haven, Mo., about six months ago, to come to St. Louis with the girl, who said her name is Amelia Dolphaus. She is 27 years old. She told the detectives she tired of life in the small town and was persuaded to come to St. Louis by Smith. After staying here a short time they went to Louisville, Indianapolis and Chicago, returning here about a month ago, she stated.

A Federal warrant charging Smith with violation of the Mann act was issued today and Mrs. Dolphaus was put under bond as a witness.

CIVIL CABINET MAY REPLACE DIRECTORATE IN SPAIN

Rivera Said to Plan Taking Premiership in Ministry to Be Organized Soon.

By Associated Press.
HENDAY, Spanish Frontier, Dec. 5.—Information received here foreshadows the early transformation of the military directorate of Gen. Primo Rivera, who is expected to return to Madrid from Morocco Dec. 20. It was said that Rivera intends to form a civil Cabinet under himself as Premier.

It is reported that the members of the new Cabinet will include Alfonso Merry del Val, at present Spanish Ambassador at London, as Minister of Foreign Affairs; Prof. Felipe Clemente de Diego, University of Madrid, Justice; C. Gonzalez Rothwood, at present Secretary-General of the Council of State, Interior; S. Martinez Arida, now under secretary of the Interior, War, and Rear Admiral Marquis de Magaz, Navy.

KILLS WIFE OF ANOTHER AND HIMSELF IN AUTO

Bodies of Man and Woman Found in Car on Highway; Both Left Young Children.

By Associated Press.
ROCKHILL, N. C., Dec. 5.—The bodies of Mrs. Frank Simpson, 28 years old, and J. T. Cornwell, 24, were found today in an automobile parked on a highway about two miles from Rockhill. The woman was shot through the body, and Cornwell, in whose hand a revolver was found, was shot through his head. Authorities expressed the opinion that it was a case of murder and suicide.

Mrs. Simpson is survived by her husband and several small children. Cornwell, a bookkeeper, was a widower, but he left two young children and his mother, with whom he had been living.

Kills Woman and Himself.
CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—George Blasing, 30 years old, last night shot and killed Mrs. Grace Haycock, then killed himself in the rooming house where both lived. Their landlady said Mrs. Haycock had repulsed Blasing's advances.

Battender Killed in Holdup

KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 5.—One man was killed and one dying as the result of a holdup here yesterday by three masked men. George Balaz, 42 years old, a bartender, was shot and killed and fell to the

floor. A proprietor of a soft drink establishment is dying. The hold-up men escaped. One young man was shot through the heart. Jurika attempted to leap over the bar and the three fired, the man dropping back over the bar with three bullet wounds.

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<p>\$14 Strands of DELTA PEARLS</p> <p>\$9.50</p> <p>24-inch lustrous Delta Pearls with a 14K white gold clasp set with genuine diamonds in a handsome plush case. A real value.</p> <p>\$1 DOWN \$1 A WEEK</p>	<p>\$20 Wrist Watch</p> <p>\$12.50</p> <p>An excellent timekeeper is this beautiful Wrist Watch in a 14K white-filled case. A real Christmas special.</p> <p>The same style of watch as above, in a 14K solid white gold case, with 15 jeweled movements. This Watch is guaranteed to keep perfect time.</p> <p>\$21.50</p>
<p>Diamond Wedding Ring</p> <p>\$27.50</p> <p>18K white gold, hand-carved Wedding Ring, set with three genuine diamonds.</p> <p>\$25 Diamond Ring</p> <p>\$14.50</p> <p>A most attractive Ring, 18K white gold, set with a blue-white diamond in a pierced mounting.</p> <p>Novelty Beads in short and long strands; all colors; many different designs.</p> <p>\$1.95</p>	<p>YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD</p> <p>\$1 DOWN—\$1 A WEEK</p> <p>Home Mercantile Co.</p> <p>2d Floor 318 N. 8TH ST. 8th and Locust</p> <p>Across from Mercantile Trust and the Postoffice. Open Saturday to 8 P. M.</p> <p>COME TO OUR CONVENIENT STORE AND SAVE MONEY</p>

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The record was made right here in St. Louis, and the first of them have just arrived by special messenger.

Larry Conley assisted Rodemich in composing the music for "Honolou"—a combination hard to beat.

This is St. Louis' own record—it will be another hit, probably greater than his previous success, "My Sweetheart" and "Easy Melody." On the reverse side is

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MARY and the JUDGE

Suppose you had fought wealth and power and won as you knew you would because you were young—and then the judge overruled the jury? What would you do? I wonder if we can blame Mary?

I FOUND it HARD To Be WEALTHY

A poor girl who married a millionaire tells frankly her experiences in acquiring the manner and pose of the 400.

The MORALS of MABEL

She played her own game and lost. The man she loved played fair with life and life was cheating. Then Mabel came back—and did a strange, unreasonable thing.

What Becomes of CHORUS GIRLS?

A chorus girl! Thirty-five! Out of a job! What? And she saw one of the most famous beauties on Broadway ten years ago sitting as a "shill" on a Coney Island bus! She huddled into her coat and stumbled on. Where was she heading—?

I am AFRAID of HIM

She was happily married and enjoying life to its fullest. Then her former sweetheart came back. Did he remember—?

Revelations of a DRUG CARRIER

He was making money. Of course he took a long time—but it was worth it, he thought. Then something happened that left him faint and dizzy. A word—a little word—he staggered into the night a moral wreck.

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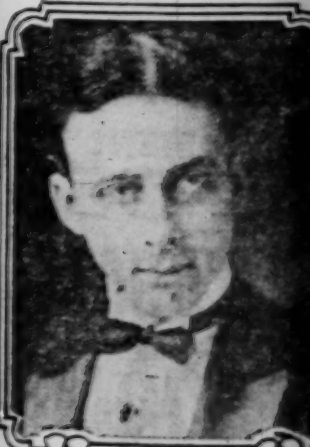
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passports out of the country. In

preparing new passports for the
Angora Government, Turkish officials
insist that not a word of any
foreign language be used, and print
all the documents in Turkish script.
When the bearers of these pas-
ports tried to leave Turkish terri-
tory, their troubles began. No of-
ficial could read the Turkish script;
they could not tell whether the
paper was a legitimate passport or
a bill for groceries, and the
bearers were refused permission to
cross the border.

Negro Millionaire Aided By White Philanthropists

Money Lenders Were About to Foreclose on
Herman E. Perry, Who Founded
Life Insurance Company.

By Leased Wire From the New
York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—A group
of white money lenders was about
to strip holdings valued at about
\$12,000,000 from Herman E. Perry,
negro financier of Atlanta, Ga.,
when he was rescued by a group
of white philanthropists operating
from this city through the Title
Guarantee and Trust Co.
His rescuers told him they did
it in recognition of his achieve-
ments. He was born 16 years after
his parents had been freed from
slavery, and had raised himself, at
the age of 51, to his present posi-
tion.
Herman E. Perry is president of
the Standard Life Insurance Co. of
Atlanta, which he founded; chair-
man of the board of the Citizens'
Trust Co. and of the Penny Savings
Bank, and president of 11 corpora-
tions; his life is insured for \$1,
000,000, and he is estimated to be
worth about \$8,000,000.
Lenders About to Foreclose.
Yet an emergency need of \$500,000

in liquid capital put him in
the hands of the group of white
money lenders, and they were just
about to foreclose on the valuable
undertakings which he had estab-
lished, all under the control of
men of his own race.
During the last few days, how-
ever, his rescue was arranged
quietly at the offices of the Title
Guarantee and Trust Co., and he
was provided with the money he
needed to get out of the hands of
the money lenders.
The meetings were attended by
Perry, Dr. Robert Moton, principal
of Tuskegee Institute, successor to
Booker T. Washington; Clarence
H. Kelsey, chairman of the board
of the Title Guarantee and Trust
Co., which will manage the loan,
and Julius Rosenwald, multimil-
lionaire and philanthropist, chair-
man of the board of Sears, Roebuck
& Co., of Chicago.
Rosenwald is noted for charities
extended to the negroes. He is
known to have provided half the
funds which have saved Perry.
Perry left Texas and went to
Cincinnati as a young man. He
says:

"I got there broke, and I came
near freezing to death before I
found a place to sleep. But I got
a job in a Turkish bath."

Started Insurance Concern.
Soon afterward his father's
death set him to thinking of life
insurance for negroes, the project
which Booker T. Washington had
in mind when he died.
After two years of hard la-
bor, Perry says, "spending large-
ly one day in a town and traveling
at night in the 'Jim Crow cars,' we
had \$85,000 cash."

With that, in 1913, he started the
Standard Life Insurance Co. of At-
lanta, Ga., the first of the old-line
legal reserve insurance companies
operated by negroes in the United
States. It is one of a chain of 35
negro companies with a total of
\$500,000,000 of insurance in force
on the lives of 1,100,000 negroes.

With the insurance company as a
basis, Herman Perry branched
out in other undertakings that
served his race. The negro boards
of directors multiplied and the
negro race was proudly displaying
its business capacity in chain
grocery systems, laundries, and in
organizing building associations and
inland development schemes
around Atlanta, Ga. Then the dif-
ficulty arose.

All these things took money and
Perry discovered a few months ago
that he had tied up too much in
the land development schemes. In
the emergency he went to the
money lenders and pledged a con-
trolling block of the insurance
company stock.
"What happened to him has hap-
pened to many another man with a
white skin," one of his rescuers
said yesterday. And the same
man frankly admitted that it was
not allowed to happen to Perry for
the honor of the negro race.

2 MEN HELD FOR \$100,000 SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX ROBBERY

Arrested on Arrival at Chicago—
Bank to Cash Check Obtained
by Sale of Bonds.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Two men
are under arrest here as suspects
in connection with a \$100,000 safety
deposit box burglary in the
Merchants' Bank Building at In-
dianapolis, Ind. Ten thousand dol-
lars in bonds was found in the
possession of one of the pris-
oners. The suspects gave their
names as Fred Graham, 32 years
old, of Buffalo, N. Y., and Alfred
Henderson, a negro.

Chicago police notified by tele-
graph by Byron E. Lundblad, secre-
tary and treasurer of the Central
Indiana Coal Co., from whose of-
fice in Indianapolis, \$1,000 in
bonds was stolen last Sunday.
Graham and the negro were ar-
rested when they appeared at a
local bank and attempted to cash
a check for \$1255 which they had
received from a broker to whom
they had sold a number of bonds.
The broker after examining the se-
curities and believing them to have
been stolen at the burglary at In-
dianapolis, communicated with his
bank and ordered payment on the
check stopped.
The broker's warning to the
bank was relayed to the other
banks and to the police.

PAPER SUSPENDS PUBLICATION

Editor of Edwardsville (Ill.) Dem-
ocrat Plans to Retire.
Publication of the Edwardsville
(Ill.) Democrat, a weekly news-
paper published by A. L. Brown,
78-year-old editor, will be suspend-
ed temporarily. Brown gave his
age as one reason for retiring. He
would not confirm a report that a
plan is on foot to re-establish the
paper next year by other interests.
The paper was known as Our
Time when Brown acquired it 43
years ago. He gave it its present
name.

Storm Damages Bay Springs, Miss.
By the Associated Press.
HATTIESBURG, Miss., Dec. 5.
—A storm struck the business sec-
tion of Bay Springs, Jasper Coun-
ty, late last night, wrecking three
stores and four residences and do-
ing other damage. A number of
residents were injured.

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day. It promises to be
a bigger hit than "Easy
Melody" or "My Sweet-
heart"—so reserve your
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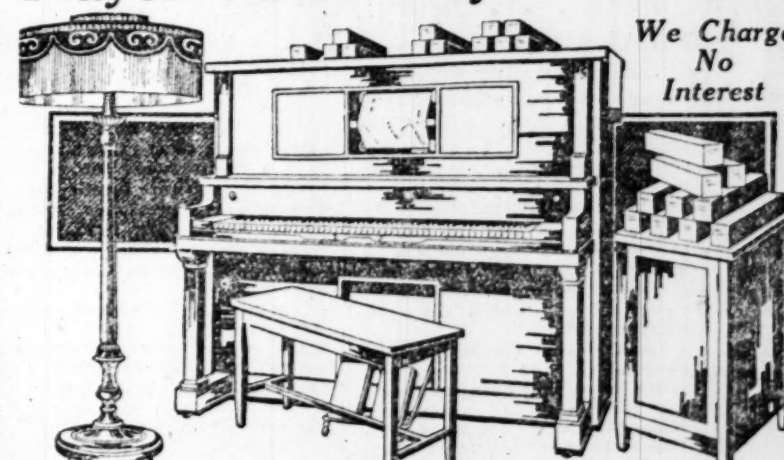
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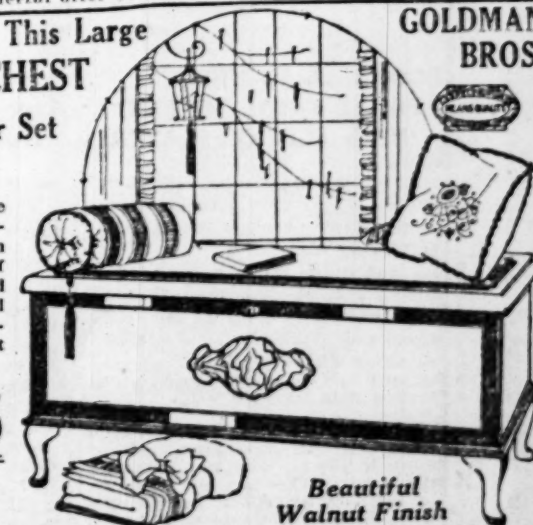
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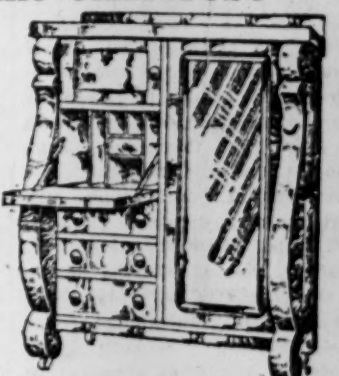


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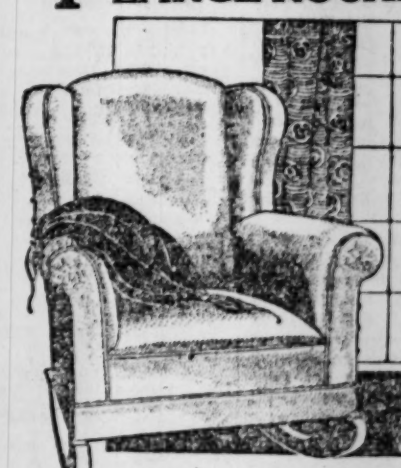
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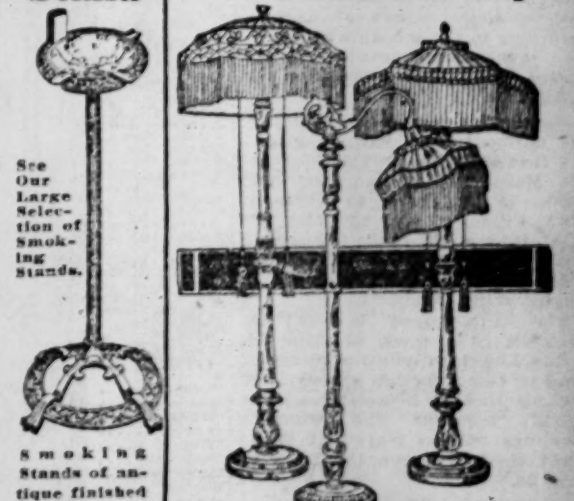
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CLEVELAND HIGH FOOTBALL TEAM TO PLAY CHARLESTON ELEVEN DEC. 13

Permission for Meeting Granted By School Board

Superintendent Maddox Finds Nothing in Rules to Prevent Post-Season Clash.

"Red" Grange Will Be Asked to Officiate at Intercity Game Here

COACH BERT FENEGA of the champion Cleveland High School football team, which meets the Charleston High School team in an intercity game here Dec. 13, stated this morning that in today's game he will be made the referee. "It is a good idea and well after all," Fenega commented. "An appeal will be made through the Illinois alumni, to the Illinois authorities to permit Grange to act."

Cleveland High School, whose football team won the championship of the St. Louis Intercollegiate League this year, has agreed to play the Charleston High School team of Charleston, Mo., champions of Southeastern Missouri, in a post-season game at St. Louis University field on Saturday, Dec. 13, for the benefit of the Teachers' Annuity Fund. The Board of Education, through Superintendent Maddox, has placed its stamp of approval on the contest.

The Charleston authorities recently wired proposing the game and submitting their terms. With the permission of the Board of Education, Cleveland wired accepting the challenge and offering terms which are virtually those asked by Charleston, so it is expected there will be nothing further to prevent the game being played.

Permission granted for game. Fenega, coach of the Cleveland team, said last night that he hoped the game would prove a success so that it might provide a precedent for the future which would enable the St. Louis interscholastic champions to meet the high school championship teams of Chicago or Kansas City.

It had been the general impression that it was against the rules of the Board of Education for St. Louis teams to play out-of-town teams but Fenega said Superintendent Maddox told him he could find nothing in the board rules nor its minutes to prevent such contests.

Receipts to Annuity Fund. In granting Cleveland High permission for the game with Charleston, Superintendent Maddox stipulated that it must be played for a charitable purpose and as it was considered the St. Louis Community Fund it was decided that the beneficiary should be the Teachers' Annuity Fund, which provides annuities for aged or disabled teachers of the St. Louis public schools.

St. Louis University has agreed to permit the use of its field for a nominal sum and it is expected that officials will be obtained for the contest who will donate their services. As the terms asked by Charleston are not considered high the Cleveland authorities are confident that it will not be a difficult matter to make the venture a success.

Dates for Golf Tournaments Are Set

U. S. G. A. Schedules Championship So as Not to Interfere With European Events.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Dates for the three big golf championships of the United States will be arranged so as not to interfere with the leading contests of Europe, according to the schedule of American tournaments now before the United States Golf Association for action.

Under this temporary schedule, the national open will be played the first week in June at Worcester, Mass., the amateur the first week in September at Oakmont Club, Pittsburgh, and the women's title affair at St. Louis the second week in October. The public links event is set for the first week in August at Salisbury.

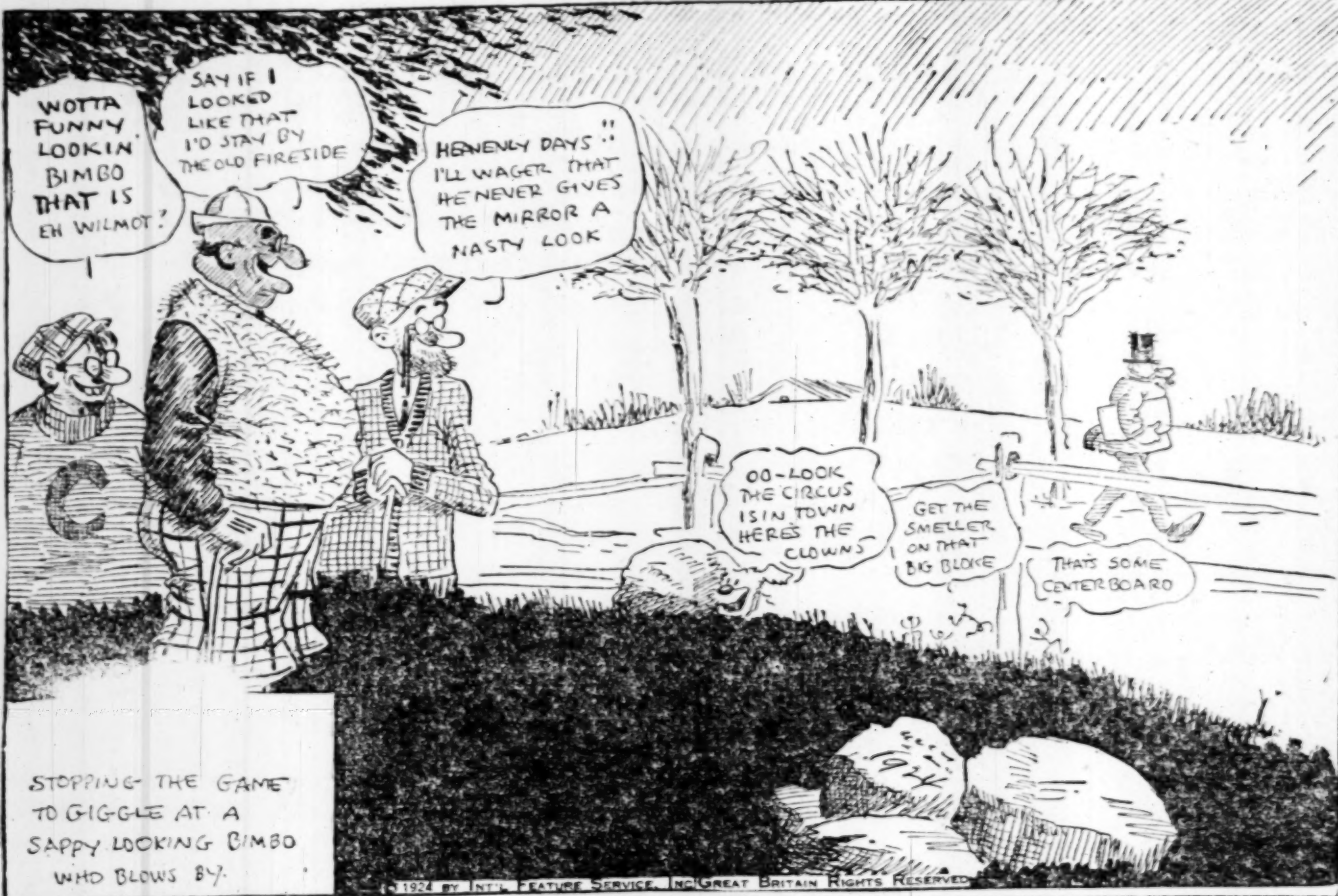
The British open is listed for Prestwick the week of June 22, giving American entrants plenty of time to reach foreign shores after the meeting at Worcester.

The British amateur and women's meetings will be played at Westward Ho and Troon the week of May 25.

Sport Writers Organize.

St. Louis sport writers met last night and decided to form an association. A committee of which Martin J. Haley is chairman, was appointed to draft a constitution. At a meeting of the St. Louis Chapter of the Baseball Writers' Association of America, Ray Stockton, of the Post-Dispatch staff, was elected St. Louis representative to succeed Sid C. Keener of the Times, who had resigned.

Outdoor Sports



Jacobson Drove In Most Runs for Browns With 96

Coslin Led American League by Accounting for 129 Talents—Ruth Second With 121.

Records released today show that not a single member of the Browns drove in 100 runs during the season of 1924. Bill Jacobson, the center fielder, was the leader, the official figures show, with 97 tallies sent across the plate in 152 games. He was followed by Ken Williams, with 84 in 114 games, and Marjory McManus, with 80 in 123. Manager George Sisker chased 74 mates over the plate in 151 clashes.

The champion of the league in runs responsible for was Leon Goetzlin, who in 154 games with the world's champion Senators, sent 129 tallies over the plate. Goetzlin was followed by Babe Ruth, the champion batter of the circuit with 121, Muesel, Heilmann, Hauser, Pipp, Sewell, Sheely and Simmons were the others in the A. L. to drive in 100 or more runs.

Babe Ruth struck out more than any player in the circuit, 152 times. The Bambino whiffed 41 times. Simmons of the Athletics was next in line with 69.

Individual Records.

NAME	Club	G.	R.	HR.	BB.	SB.	PO.	ER.
Goetzlin	Sen.	154	129	28	9	4	29	2
Ruth	N. Y.	152	121	32	12	5	29	2
Muesel	N. Y.	143	108	22	12	3	25	2
Williams	Chi.	114	84	15	10	2	25	2
McManus	Chi.	123	80	15	10	2	25	2
Sisker	Chi.	151	74	15	10	2	25	2
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ATTORNEYS IN FISTIC CLASH IN SUIT AGAINST MRS. STUART

Belligerents Separated by Justice of the Peace and Case Is Continued.

A brief fistic encounter occurred yesterday in Justice of the Peace Moore's court, at 7 North Sixth street, between opposing attorneys in the \$300 damage suit of Mrs. Adele Ahlberg against her former employer, Mrs. Lillian Stuart, former actress, whose marital troubles with her husband, Frank Stuart, were aired recently in Circuit Court at Clayton. In Stuart's suit for divorce, Mrs. Stuart is suing for separate maintenance, but the case has not been heard.

When the case, in which Mrs. Ahlberg charges Mrs. Stuart with breaking open her trunk and taking some articles from it, was called, David L. Houghtlin, attorney for Mrs. Stuart, asked for a continuance, and in an argument which followed he threatened to knock Houghtlin "through the wall." Houghtlin invited him to "do it." Bennett replied with a blow to Houghtlin's jaw. The men were separated and the case was continued until next Monday morning by Justice Moore.

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GIRL, 6, KILLED, SEVERAL INJURED IN AUTO CRASHES

East St. Louis Child Struck by Truck While Returning Home From School—Driver Exonerated.

DEAD.
Anna Collins, 6, of 1223 North Twenty-sixth street, East St. Louis.

INJURED.
Herschel Ploun, 5, of 4466 Laclede avenue, fractured ribs and internal injuries.

Mrs. Ida Coffey, 47, of 2117 Kimberly avenue, fractured ribs and scalp lacerations.

Miss Margaret Newell, 55, of 2147 Whittier street, internal injuries and scalp lacerations.

Edward Hodges, 42, of 755 Bayard avenue, internal injuries and lacerated scalp.

Edward Hodges, 39, and wife, May, 38, of 2005 Olive street, lacerations of scalp and body.

Anna Collins, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins, 1223 North Twenty-sixth street, East St. Louis, was struck by a coal truck at Twenty-fifth street and Cassville avenue, as she was returning home from the Jefferson School.

She had alighted from a motor-bus and was crossing the street, when knocked down by the truck, driven by Henry Simon, negro, of 4233 Finney avenue, St. Louis.

A coroner's verdict of accidental death, exonerating Simon, was returned today at the inquest.

Boy Hit by One Auto Is Run Over by Another.
Herschel Ploun, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ploun, 4466 Laclede avenue, was struck by one automobile and run over by another when he attempted to cross the street in front of 4577 Page boulevard at 6 p. m. yesterday. He suffered fractured ribs and internal injuries.

A coupe driven by Wallace Anders, printer, of 1117 North Euclid avenue, knocked the boy to one side, and a sedan driven by Samuel Berger, a merchant, of 1345 Clara avenue, which was following Anders' car, ran over the boy.

Mrs. Dena Lassiter, 30, a seamstress, of 1448 Bard avenue, and

Lassiter suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries and Mrs. Coffey fractured ribs and scalp lacerations.

Miss Margaret Newell, 55, of 2147 Whittier street, suffered internal injuries and scalp lacerations.

Edward Hodges, 42, of 755 Bayard

avenue, a supervisor for the United Railways, suffered internal injuries and scalp lacerations, when struck by the automobile of Ralph Edwards, a paper-hanger, of 4222 Margaretta avenue, at Clarence and Natural Bridge avenues at 6 p. m. yesterday.

Edward Hodges, 39, and his wife, May, 38, of 2005 Olive street, suffered lacerations of scalp and body when their automobile collided with a truck at Twenty-first street and Adams avenue at 4:10 p. m. yesterday.

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Relatives of Dead Man. Relatives in St. Louis of the girl who was killed in the "St. Louis west side."

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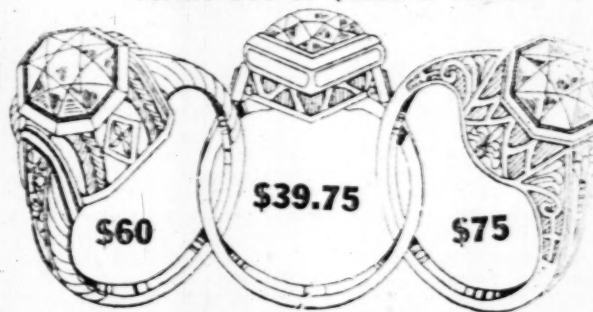
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Ask to see the Japanese Signet Ring. Set with a beautiful blue-white Diamond, at \$32.50.

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What feminine heart wouldn't go into raptures over such a beautiful new Bedroom Suite for Christmas. It is a new design in French walnut, adorned with a fine gold line. Dresser and vanity are 48 inches wide. The four pieces sell regularly at \$287. Saturday at only \$238.

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Is not only for Christmas but it will provide a lifetime of wholesome entertainment. Has a standard motor and tone arm and well arranged record section. Plays any record.

\$59.75

This Smoking Cabinet

Is a real gift for the man who smokes, and it carries sufficient dignity for any living room to welcome. In several finishes. The roomy cabinet contains a shelf and rack for pipes.

\$9.75

Sectional Bookcase

A very practical gift. Sections may be added to this case to accommodate an increase in your library at any time.

Attractively finished in either a rich golden oak or mahogany. Formerly \$37.50, for Saturday's selling at

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This Mahogany Fernery

Is a gift of true thoughtfulness that Mother will surely appreciate. After all it is the thoughtfulness and not the price that pleases all of us. Has a heavily galvanized and removable flower box.

\$14.75

This Walnut Cedar Chest

Is an excellent make insuring years of lasting good service. It is made of solid aromatic cedar, walnut finish.

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Give a Gateleg Table

Useful for many and various duties from a superior sort of card table to a general repository for the family's possessions. Finished in cedar, walnut finish.

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Let there be Flowers for that Birthday today

Lovely, fragrant, freshly cut flowers—a gift of the heart rather than the purse—something to be personally cherished but that may be shared by all.

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Beautiful stand with
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berry.
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Newest design—fin-
ished attractively to
match the piano.
Music Rolls
A large selection of
Music Rolls is in-
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DECEMBER 5, 1924.

Sedans For Sale
BUICK SEDAN
passenger; excellent condition
runs like a clock; motor, motor.
absolutely excellent; a small ad
of Buick.
UNIT-GILLESPIE MOTOR CO.
1000 N. 10th St., Little Rock, Ark. 72601
Phone 4-1111
—Sedan, 1924, like new; big;
\$325. 1935, 1936. (3)
—1931 Buick Wildcat Grand Sedan
\$850 down; also Index, many
tops, etc. Trade anything. (47)
—Sedan—1923, good enough
way for anyone who can drive
it; or closed car, this frosty
weather.
Mechanically fine; good paint;
it's not a car to look at, and see
it to the price; terms. Mac-
dona. 6320 Delmar. (46)
Sedans: business: 1923, \$945.
1930 Oldsmobile. (45)

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terms, \$127. Olive.
Ford's new 1934 sedan, \$3405; \$2560,
1933A Eastern. (7)
Get... perfect; only \$300;
Haupt, 2127 Olive.
Cam. 1934 4-door: \$450; like
4-door. (1c)
Interior: good condition; extras:
open, cash or will trade. 6947
sedans; several 1933 models; ex-
position; \$250 up; trade, terms.
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Edman, 1932, good mechanical con-
dition; open top; \$250; terms.
AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (66)
to 1934 Tudor sedan; the best
this year has to offer. See
main: your own easy terms; open
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FORD, On Sunday and even-
ing hours late '23 sedan; overhauled,
inst. guaranteed. \$445; terms
cash or 3 mos. Locust. Open evenings.
'26 Ford sedan; also '23 and '22
\$175 up.
'28 Buick lake sedan; light 6; ele-
gant condition; sacrifice.
ERNAL, 1401 Locust.

FORD SEDAN, 4-DOOR
new times, with Kelly card three;
inst. \$395; year to pay. Tel.
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and Sundays. (c-96)
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inst. \$250
also
\$125
cash
or 3 mos.
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See it first \$700.
LUDERAKER SEDAN
Heavy, painted a royal blue,
to match, white wire wheels;
OVERLAND SEDAN
\$485.
1909 Buick; first one sets it;
easy lines or trade.
LUDERAKER SEDAN
1906 Buick; good wheels;
like new; not a scratch on it;
cost was \$700. \$1095.
HOLMAN SEDAN
Young Olds 4, powerful and quiet;
condition, painted a London
blue; cost \$1085. Asker
only \$450.
MAXWELL SEDAN
Heavy, 4-door, looks like a
newer, added a Mercedes type,
a French wheel rubber
wheels \$1600. \$750.
HUDSON COACH

924 100% w/ extra, sacrifice
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year light 5; run 2100 miles;
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ER SEDANS—ALL MAKES
interested in writing or money
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0-100-mphometer 0-100: 1997; just
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Automobile Co. (Dunkirk 188)
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motor cuttings and Sundays.
TOP CAR CO. 3115 Locust
— sedan, late model; \$900.
— sedan, late model; \$800.
or terms. 1650 S. Jefferson.
— 1921 sedan, \$275. \$100
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1924 OVERLAND
— new, private owner has it;
\$100 down. Schnell, 4712A Natural

VINCEL, 2310 Locust. (c)
— 1921 sedan, 1923, guaranteed,
new, others, terms, trade, 1923.
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new, others, terms, trade, 1923.

Selling Cars For Sale
HEATLEY—Touring car, excel-
lent—very cheap buy. (c)

Beauty & touring. 0-pass.; 1-
N1, \$450; terms. Mendocino,
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Dressmaker touring, with white
& red bay at \$275. Western
touring. 1-pass.; 1-1989.
Touring, late style, repainted,
\$440 down; trade, 3441 Junita.
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Men's Latest Idea

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Black Tr. \$250. \$5 down
and take, a few dollars each
more will store any car now want
no storage charges. BCU
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THINKS \$2,000,000 COUNTY PROPERTY ESCAPES TAXATION

Assessor Herpel Seeks Way
to Check Up on Improved
Holdings Reported as
Unimproved.

In the belief that approximately \$2,000,000 of property improvements are escaping taxation in St. Louis County, Assessor George Herpel is seeking a way to overcome this deficiency in his office. The Assessor is convinced there is a considerable amount of improved real estate in the county which is listed, by the owners, as unimproved. This condition, he stated, results from the fact that a survey of property by the Assessor is not provided for and the taxes remain the same from year to year, virtually dependent upon the honesty of the owner.

In the past the Assessor's office has relied upon the records of building permits issued as a basis for checking assessment returns, but has found that numerous residents improve their property without obtaining a permit.

An effort will be made to get the Legislature to provide the Assessor with assistants whose sole duty shall be to list this property, as is done in the City of St. Louis.

AVERAGE SPAN OF HUMAN LIFE IN U. S. INCREASES 15 YEARS

Is 56 Today as Compared With 41
in 1870: Was Only 18 to 20
in Sixteenth Century.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The average length of life in the United States has increased 15 years since 1870, Surgeon-General Cumming of the Public Health Service said yesterday in his annual report to Congress.

Fifty-six years is now the average span of life in America, the Surgeon-General said. This contrasts with the sixteenth century when human life averaged between 18 and 20 years, increasing to about 25 years in the eighteenth century, and to between 45 and 48 years as late as 1900.

Tuberculosis and typhoid fever, the report disclosed, showed some decrease last calendar year, both in cases and deaths.

Diphtheria also declined, but a decided increase was shown in measles, with 725,529 cases and 10,282 deaths, compared with 260,803 cases and 3592 deaths in 1925.

Special attention was given in the report to whooping cough, which increased 60 per cent in the last two calendar years, with an increased death rate of 4.4 per cent, most of which was in children under 5 years of age.

Forty-five states reported 20,771 cases of smallpox, which is more prevalent in this country than in Europe. New England had a much smaller number of cases than the South, West and Middle West.

Brig-Gen. Nolan to Be Promoted.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Secretary Weeks will recommend Brigadier-General Dennis E. Nolan, deputy chief of staff, for promotion to the grade of Major-General effective Jan. 18, 1927. Gen. Nolan will be given the vacancy in the higher rank to be created by the retirement of Major-General David C. Shanks. Col. Frank M. Caldwell, commanding the fourteenth cavalry at Fort Des Moines, Ia., will become a Brigadier-General.

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JOINT-EASE FOR Stiff, Swollen Joints Rheumatic or Otherwise

Says: "When Joint-Ease Gets In—Joint Agony Gets Out."

It was a high-class pharmacist who saw prescription after prescription fall to help hundreds of his customers to get rid of rheumatic swellings and stiff, inflamed joints.

And it was this same man who asserted that a remedy could and would be compounded that would make creaky, swollen, tormented joints work with just as much smoothness as they ever did.

Now this prescription, rightly named Joint-Ease, after being tested successfully on many obstinate cases, is offered through progressive pharmacists to the millions of people who suffer from ailing joints that need limbering up.

Swollen, tender, inflamed, stiff, pain-tormented joints are usually caused by rheumatism, but when the inflammation is in the muscles, spine or other parts of the body, it is called rheumatoid arthritis. Joint-Ease soaks right in through skin and flesh and gets right to and corrects the trouble at its source.

Remember, Joint-Ease is for ailments of the joints, whether in ankle, knee, hip, elbow, shoulder, spine or finger, and when you rub it on you may expect speedy and gratifying results.

It is now on sale at
Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., 7th
and Washington Av.

and drugists everywhere for 60 cents a tube. Always remember, when Joint-Ease gets in joint agony gets out. Every rheumatic sufferer ought to read today for free book "The Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism" (just sent) Address: H. F. Clearwater, Box 900, Hallowell, Maine.

Read today's Want Columns for business openings.

ENDING THE YEAR WITH A RECORD CLOTHING SALE



Offering Savings of Almost One- Half on Splendid-Quality Winter Clothing for Men, Young Men and Boys

We are determined to end a most successful year with a sale that adds a fitting climax to the values we have offered in the past twelve months. In this desire we have been assisted by the fortunate cash purchases of several manufacturers' stocks, at immense discounts. As a result we are able to offer savings of almost one-half on the greatest assortment of fine-quality clothing we have ever assembled. Come and see these wonderful garments. Inspect the quality—compare the prices. See how many items are desirable for Christmas gifts. You will appreciate the styles, the superb tailoring and the economical prices.



BOYS' OVERCOATS OR 2-PANT SUITS \$4.88

Two-Pant Suits of durable cassimeres in dark browns and grays. Belted and pleated models. Full-cut knickers. Some lined. 6 to 18 years.
Juvenile Overcoats of chinchillas and beavers in dark shades. Full belts. Sizes 3 to 8 years. (First Floor)

BOYS' ALL-WOOL BLUE SERGE SUITS \$5.50

Close-woven, pure wool serge in dark blue shades. Coats in belted and pleated models. Lined with heavy serge. Knickers are cut full and are lined throughout. Splendidly tailored and finished. Come in all sizes from 10 to 17 years. (First Floor)

BOYS' WARM ALL-WOOL TAN MACKINAW \$5.95

Excellent woollens in solid tan shades. Fashioned with full belts, side and muff pockets, and with large convertible collars. Warm enough for the coldest weather—short enough to allow perfect freedom. Come in sizes from 6 to 18 years. (First Floor)

BOYS' OVERCOATS OR 2-PANT SUITS \$6.99

Two-Pant Suits of attractively patterned woollens in desirable shades. Both pairs of knickers are lined throughout. Sizes 6 to 18 years.
Overcoats of dark-colored kerseys in belted models. Muff or side pockets. Sizes 8 to 18 years. (First Floor)

BOYS' OVERCOATS OR 2-PANT SUITS \$8.88

Two-Pant Suits of all-wool cassimeres, tweeds and homespun. Beautiful shades and patterns. Lined knickers. Sizes 6 to 18 years including stouts.
Overcoats of splendid woollens with plaid linings. Popular belted models. Sizes 8 to 18 years. (First Floor)

BOYS' OVERCOATS OR TWO-PANT SUITS \$11.66

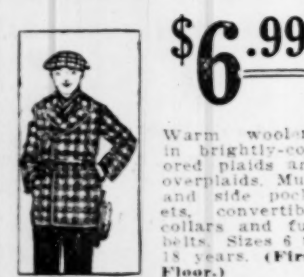
Two-Pant Suits in powder blues, English lavenders, French grays and other heather shades. Also darker colored stripes. Lined knickers. Sizes 6 to 18 years.
Overcoats of heavy woollens in solid shades and overplaids. Sizes 8 to 18 years. (First Floor)

BOYS' OVERCOATS OR TWO-PANT SUITS \$14.55

Choice of our finest Two-Pant Suits and Overcoats for boys. Made in an excellent manner and styled in the most popular models. Well-wearing woollens of the finest quality. Overcoats in plaid backs. Suits with lined knickers. All sizes including stouts. (First Floor)

BOYS' ALL-WOOL MACKINAW \$6.99

Warm woollens in brightly-colored plaids and overplaids. Muff and side pockets. Convertible collars and full belts. Sizes 6 to 18 years. (First Floor)



ALL-WOOL JUVENILE OVERCOATS \$3.89

Solid blue and brown chinchillas and beavers in button-to-the-neck models. Warm woollen linings. Full belts. Sizes 3 to 8 years. (First Floor)



CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

Special items for men and boys—garments especially suited for Christmas presents. Wrapped in special Christmas wrappings if desired.

Men's knitted woolen \$3.95

Vests.....

Men's hand-tailored \$22.50

Tuxedo Suits.....

Men's Gabardine \$14.50

Raincoats.....

Extra quality Gabardine \$24.50

Raincoats.....

Fur Collars for \$4.00

overcoats.....

All-wool English \$12.50

model Topcoats.....

Men's Extra \$34.50

Quality Overcoats.....

Boys' black rubber \$2.69

Raincoats.....

Juvenile \$2.95 to \$8.88

O'coats.....

Juvenile 89c to \$4.88

Suits.....

Boys' knick- 98c to \$2.95

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MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$9.50

One-Pant Suits of durable and neat-appearing fabrics in youthful and conservative models—also sport effects. Overcoats of warm Scotchies and chevots in gray and brown mixtures. Also full-length Ulsters in solid gray. Sizes 34 to 40 chest. (Basement)

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$13.50

One and Two Pant Suits in cassimeres, tweeds and worsteds. Attractive patterns and styles for men, for young men and for youths wearing their first long trousers. Overcoats of heavy Scotchies in neat mixtures. Some with velvet collars. 33 to 40 chest. (Basement)

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$17.50

One and Two Pant Suits of pure woolen cassimeres, chevots and worsteds. Made to fit perfectly and styled in the newest models. Overcoats of heavy woollens in solid colors and overplaids. Belted and loose-fitting models. All sizes. (Second Floor)

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$21.50

One and Two Pant Suits in popular dark grounds with lighter pencil stripes. Also heather shades in checks and plaids, English and fitted models. Overcoats in solid colors and overplaids. Rich plaid-back woollens. Plain or belted. (Second Floor)

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$26.50

One and Two Pant Suits in powder blues, English lavenders and other heather shades. Newest models. Hand tailored. Also English Dunmurry woollens. Overcoats of extra-quality woollens in all styles. Satin trimmings. Beautiful shades. (Second Floor)

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$29.50

Hand-tailored One and Two Pant Suits in the newest shades and patterns for this season's wear. Tailored by hand and superbly finished. Overcoats of extra-quality chinchillas with quilted satin linings. Also other splendid fabrics. (Second Floor)

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$31.50

Choice of our finest One-Pant Suits in dark striped worsteds of superior quality and in solid fleecy cassimeres. English and American models. Hand tailored. Also Overcoats of chinchillas and beavers in all shades and models. Satin lined. (Second Floor)

EXTRA PANTS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

Dress up your Suit for Christmas with an extra pair of pants. In this wonderful stock of almost 20,000 pairs you are certain to find just the pattern and color you desire.

\$2.95 PANTS \$1.85

\$4.45 PANTS \$2.90

Heavy cassimeres in stripes, checks, herringbones and mixtures. Also durable worsteds in dark conservative stripes. Sizes from 28 to 46 waist. (Basement)

Neat woolen cassimeres and chevots in attractive dark-colored patterns. Just the shades that young men like. Also strong worsteds. All sizes. (First Floor)

Men's Strong Worsted Work Pants \$1.45

Men's All-Wool Blue Serge Pants \$3.45

Men's Better-Grade Serge Pants \$5.00



Also Trousers for work, for business wear, for outings and for high school or college men. Each pair priced at a figure that is certain to save you almost one-half.

\$5.95 PANTS \$3.85

\$7.45 PANTS \$4.80

Better-grade chevots, Scotchies and cassimeres that will go well with practically any suit. Neatly-finished seams and good, strong pockets. All sizes. (First Floor)

Suit patterns galore. Stripes, checks, plaids and mixtures. Made of pure woolen cassimeres, velours, Scotchies and worsteds. Many with wide bottoms. All sizes. (First Floor)

Men's Extra Heavy MoleSkin Pants \$2.95

Men's Strong, Durable Corduroy Pants \$3.95

Men's Superb Suit Pattern Pants \$6.85

Young Men's Fur-Collar OVERCOATS \$14.50

Dark-colored wool mixtures with three-piece detachable belts. All with heavy fur collars. AT seams bound. Sizes 34 to 42 chest. (Basement)



Men's Extra-Quality TROUSERS \$5.75

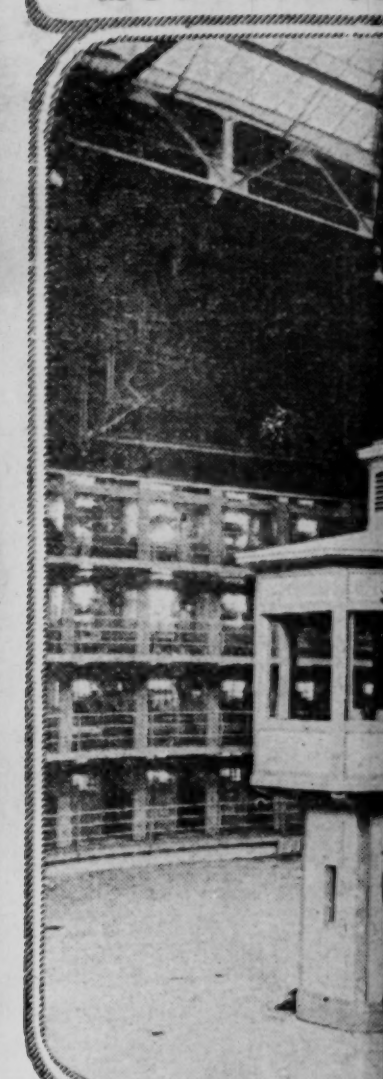
Pure worsteds in dark conservative striped patterns. Neatly tailored, and finished with splendid trimmings and pocketing. All sizes. (First Floor)



Fiction and Women's Features

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1926

MODERN CE



All outside rooms and balconies, and all the modern conveniences of the prison population of the is opened formally tomorrow.

ROYALTY IN ROMPERS



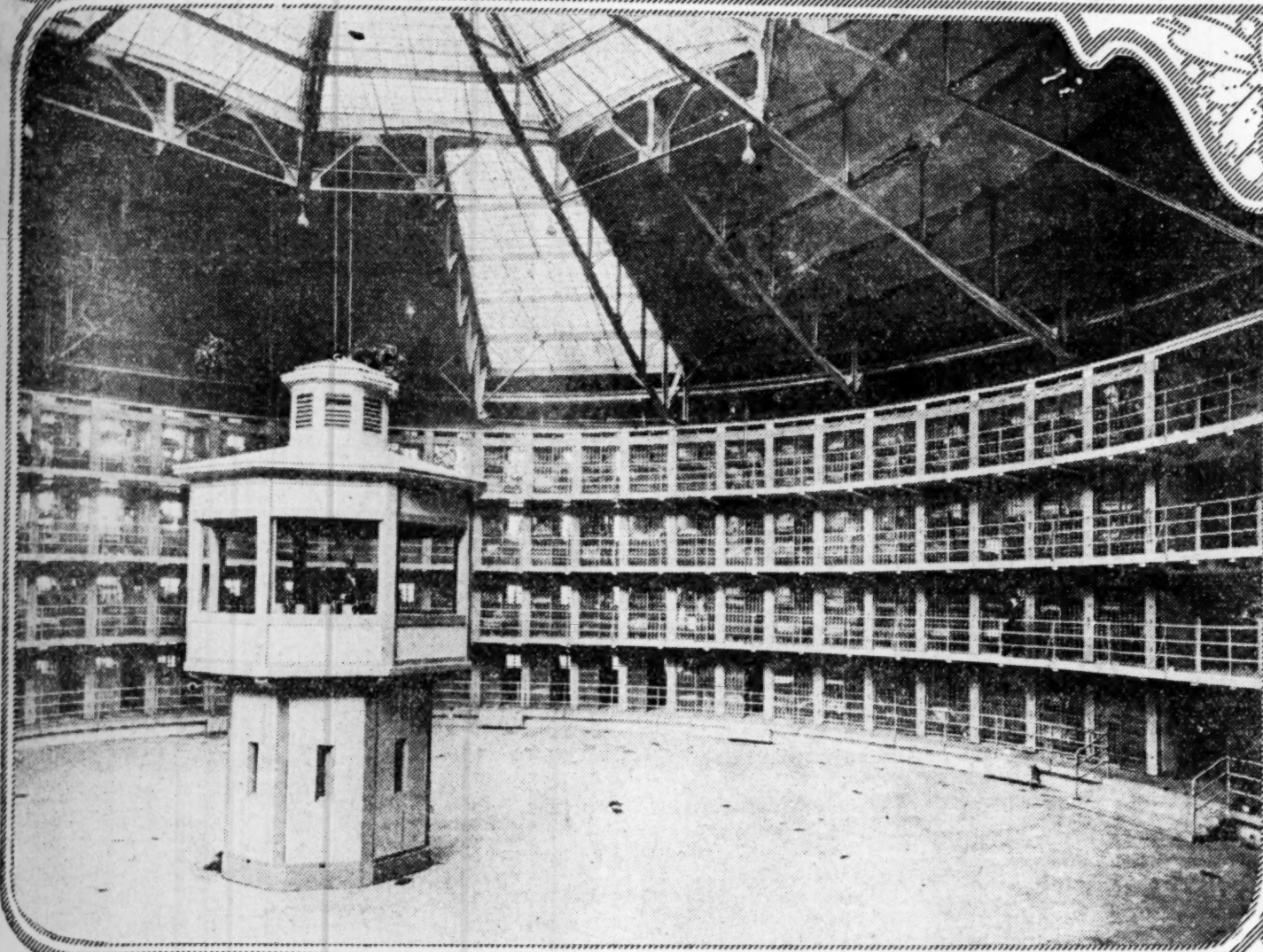
Master George Hubert Lascelles, son of Princess Mary Viscountess Lascelles, and grandson of King George and Queen Mary.

PASSE



The photograph shows part of the liner Fort V giving day, watching the and supplies to the crew Bluebird, adrift far out.

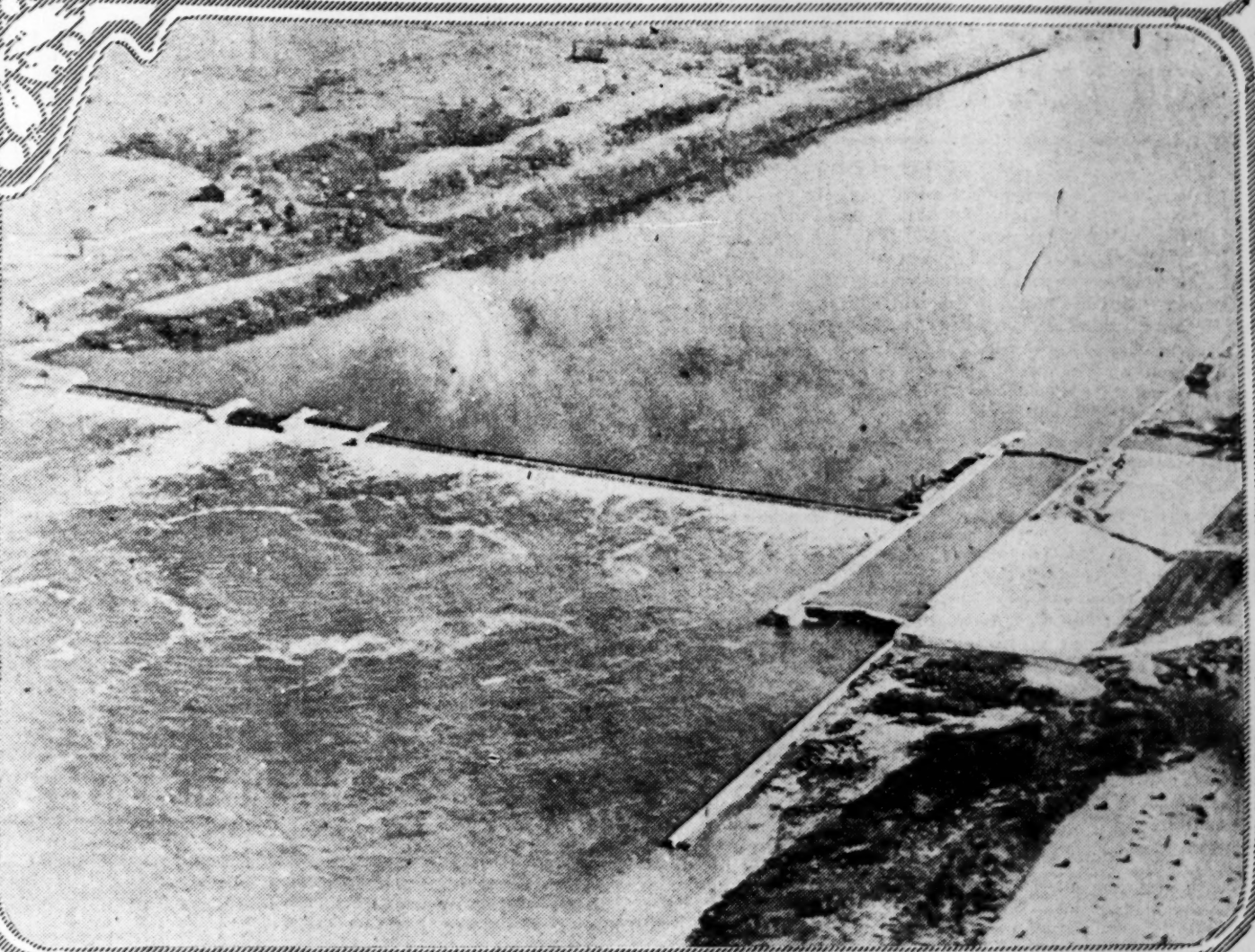
MODERN CELLS AT NEW ILLINOIS PENITENTIARY



All outside rooms and baths, special devices to bring in the sun's rays, and all the modern conveniences of a hotel will be ready to house the prison population of the Joliet Penitentiary when the new penitentiary is opened formally tomorrow at Stateville, 6 miles northeast of Joliet.

—Underwood & Underwood

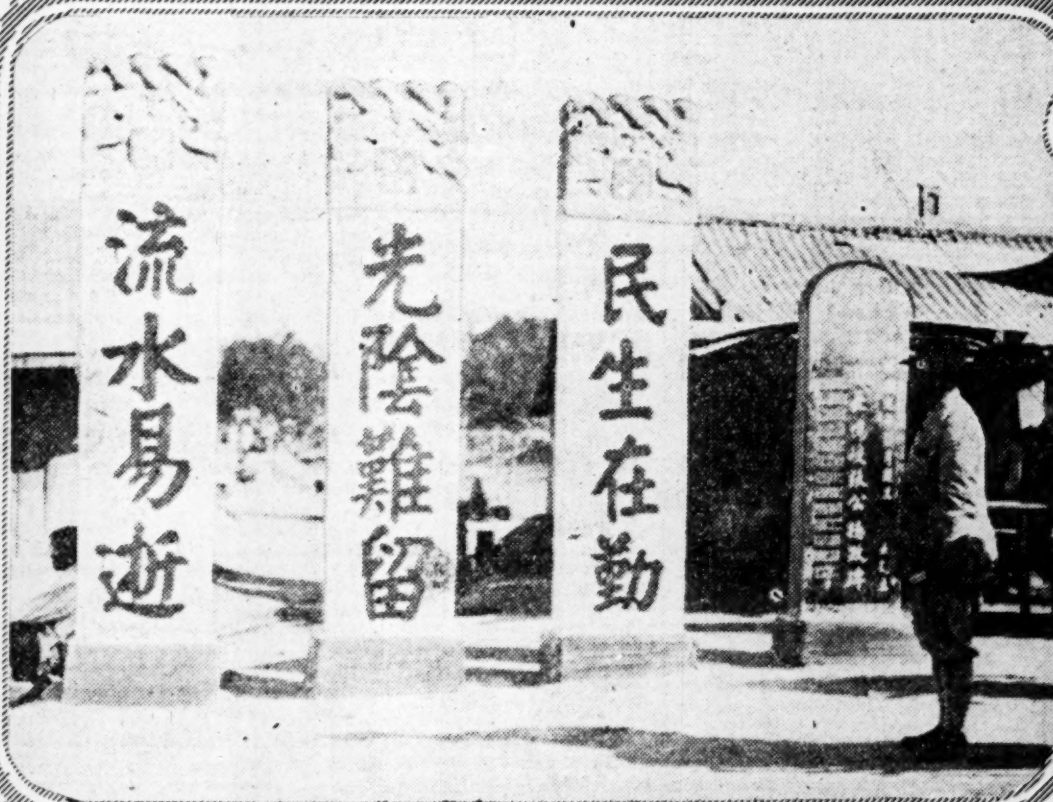
GOVERNMENT COMPLETES BUILDING OF 52 DAMS



Forty-five years ago our Government decided that 54 dams and locks were required to make the Ohio River navigable between Pittsburg and Ca., Ill. All but two have been completed, at a cost of \$86,000,000. This photo shows one of the dams at New Richmond, Ky.

—Underwood & Underwood

SIGNS OF "CHRISTIAN GENERAL"



Margaret F. Fleming of Holyoke, Mass., champion archer at Mount Holyoke College.

—Fotograms

The three signs are moral precepts in Chinese characters, which General Feng Yu-Hsiang, the Christian General, has ordered posted about the military camp to guide his soldiers aright.

—P. & A. Photo

ROYALTY IN ROMPERS



Master George Hubert Lascelles, son of Princess Mary, Viscountess Lascelles, and grandson of King George and Queen Mary.

—Fotograms

CHAMPION COLLEGE GIRL ARCHER



PARIS QUEEN



The queen of the Paris midinettes is here shown with her maids of honor, after her election at the ball at the Palais d'Orsay. Left to right: Mlle. Lucienne Feuillet, Mlle. Paulette Ridon, the Queen, and Mlle. Alice Michel.

—Wide World Photo

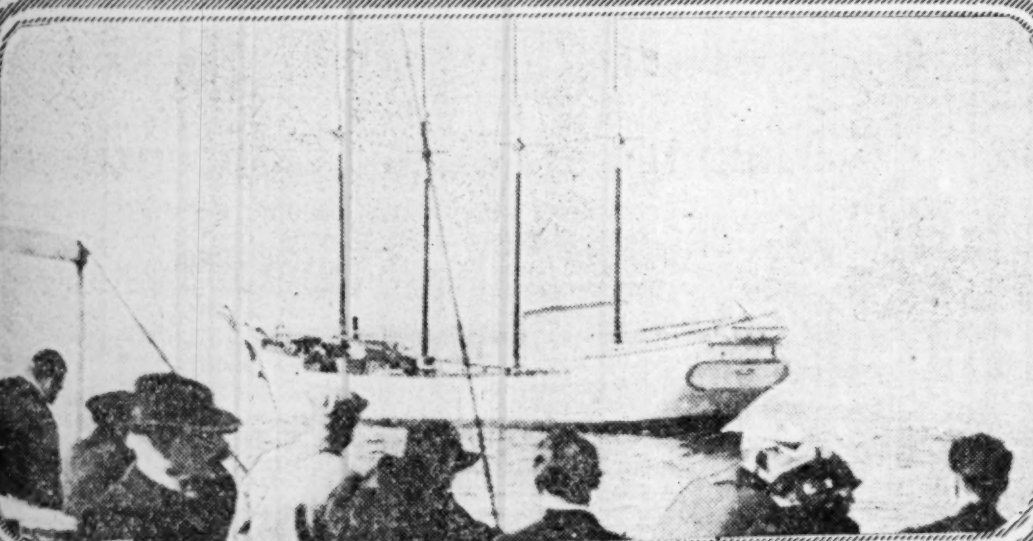
WOMAN LAWYER COMING



Helen F. Hermanton, noted British woman lawyer, first woman to be admitted to the Middle Temple, highest court of law in Great Britain, is coming to the United States.

—Fotograms

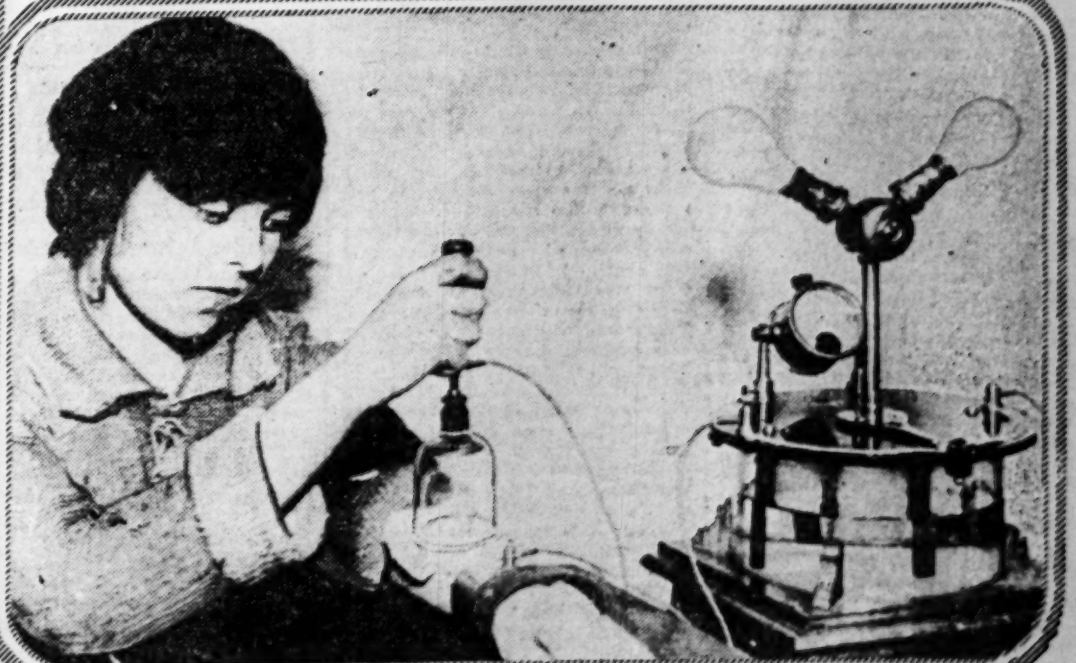
PASSENGERS GET THRILL



The photograph shows passengers along the rail of the liner Fort Victoria on Thanksgiving day, watching their ship furnish food and supplies to the crew of the schooner Bluebird, adrift far out on the Atlantic.

—P. & A. Photo

NEW WAY TO "TAKE" MEDICINE



This new invention, the galvanoset, forces medicine directly through the skin to the affected part of the body, getting direct results and avoiding the stomach disturbance common in taking some drugs in the usual way.

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The Golden Bed

by WALLACE IRWIN
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FIFTH INSTALLMENT.

"SOMEONE must always carry you, my dear." Generations of self-indulgent grandmothers spoke through her lips. "But Linda says I'm getting too old to be carried."

"Somebody always will. Always!"

Her prophesy unfinished, the woman who, but a few years before, had ridden her horse up the courthouse steps and tossed a diamond into a vacant lot, settled back on her pillows. Flora Lee took Linda's hand and slipped from the room. Two specialists had studied Sallie Peake's case. Dr. Wiggin and Dr. Furness, viewing her from physical and spiritual angles, respectively, agreed on one point, she was too lazy to get well.

CHAPTER IX.

The little Holtz house always smelled of peppermint, fragrant reminder of what earned their liver and onions. In his mature years Admah was not recalled to boyhood scenes by the pungency of sunflowers or of willows or by the damp elf odor of shy wood fungus. It was the smell of peppermint that revived memories for him.

In their little square house on Dutch Hill the Holtzes prospered, gauged by the standard of wingless working insects. In that row of pinched dwellings, marching diagonally like wooden soldiers in some intricate maneuver, the Holtzes enjoyed a certain distinction. In their daub of front yard they had cultivated a magnolia tree which retained its shiny leafage until after Christmas and bloomed handsomely in the spring. Ma Holtz grew geraniums, too, and once in an improving spirit she borrowed brushes, bought paint and commanded the Holtzes as a family to mount ladders and convert the Dutch Hill residence into a spectacle of bright orange with Indian red trimmings. Truly, when the bearded Dutch Hill gazed at the innovation and bowed as how the Candy Woman was breaking out in marshmallows. Sallie Peake conducted on the Washington avenue line could view the spot of ardent color as they went around the loop and enquired, "Candy House is on fire?" until the joke played out and the city's soft coal smoke had dimmed the orange clambroasts to the prevailing neutral gray.

In Ma Holtz's Spartan breast there lay the seed of self-expression, unwatered and neglected. Modern advertising meant nothing to her, since she could not read the simplest words, and they didn't interest her. In that one debauch of primitive color, perhaps, she gave away to an instinct. The world should know the she was there, a dot of vividness in the drabby ant-hill.

Admah, who grew up with a sort of wolf's affection for this lean, bitter woman, thought of her as unresponsive, neglectful of opportunities. He seldom ventured to tell her so. One doesn't advise the perfect captain of a river barge to get into a gold-laced uniform and command an ocean liner—only a suicidal fool would offer such counsel. To her life Ma Holtz was sufficient, working constantly, never sparing her hard, country-bred muscles. The picture of her mother, at work after conventional Dutch Hill had gone to bed, became familiar to Admah's eyes.

Hair that had been thin and gray since he could remember she was neatly combed back into a pug above her ears. Her bare arms were stringy and blue veined; as she leaned over their lucky gravestone, dropping neat portions of candy butter in such a way that each spoonful would harden into a perfect peppermint disk, there was a certain feminine daintiness about her, unrevealed in her ordinary acts. In the light of a kerosene lamp shadows would fall across her face, softening it to a certain gentleness. Sometimes she would sing, a thin, penetrating sound, ingeniously off the key.

"Walk in the light,
—ee-yew-ti-ful light,
Doo-drops are fallin' so pew an' so bright—
Ann all eroun' me a bee-yew-ti-ful light—"

Jesus, the light of these world! Over and over and over she would sing it, not ecstatically as the negroes do, but defiantly in such a way that each spoonful would harden into a perfect peppermint disk, there was a certain feminine daintiness about her, unrevealed in her ordinary acts. In the light of a kerosene lamp shadows would fall across her face, softening it to a certain gentleness. Sometimes she would sing, a thin, penetrating sound, ingeniously off the key.

There were three rooms in the house and the Holtzes slept in them all—Ma had set up a second hand folding bed in the parlor. Jo, the "good boy" who smoked cigarettes secretly and enjoyed the pleasures of the local pool-room during hours when he was supposed to be peddling candy, had a fairly good brass bed in the little middle room. He insisted on this arrangement because, he said, the day's heavy work gave him a backache. Admah slept on a cot in the kitchen. It never occurred to him to complain about this, but it moved his mother to one of her rare apologies.

"A candy store, Ma. Somewhere

down by the schools."
"Yep. An' we might buy the Jefferson Hotel while we're 'bout it."
"Just a little store, Ma. The rent wouldn't be such a darn sight more 'n we're payin' now. And we could live upstairs."
"Maybe you've see-lected the store?" suggested Ma Holtz with elegant sarcasm.

"Yep. There's one empty right 'round the corner from Miss Martindale's school. It's right sort of a place, though—\$25 a month."
"How'd you know all that?"
"I seen the sign, Peake and Livingston Real Estate, so I went to their office and askt the man."
"Did you see Mr. Peake or Mr. Livingston?" inquired Mrs. Holtz, who could be witty upon occasion.

"Oh, he was just one of the clerks. I reckon. But he told me the price and was real polite. I told him my Ma was lookin' for such a place to set up a candy store."
"You don't say?" She glanced up at last, a sparse smile on her lips.

"There's right smart o' money in keepin' store," Admah persisted. "You could hire a couple of girls to help, and me and Jo could help. Course we'd have to make 10 times as much candy as we do now."
"And what'd yew be doin' with yer Ma all this time?" she asked in a thin, small voice.

"Oh, you could jest stay back of the counter and keep store."
Ma Holtz was silent for the time required to drop three rows of peppermints. Suddenly she stood stiffly erect, the spoon held high in her skinny right hand.

"Come here, Ad," she commanded.

Her pass was threatening. She might have intended to "paste" him with the candy spoon, as had happened more than once. But a hypnotic control which she never failed to exercise over him drew Admah from his chair. And what she did was more surprising than any blow could possibly have been. She put her arm around his neck and pressed her dry lips very tenderly against his cheek.

"There!" she whispered. "You shore do git the queerest notions!"

CHAPTER X.

Over the Port a little moon was waning westward, just a line of gold and stars were scattered wanly across the blue-black, cloudless arch. Dutch Hill was silent, save for the occasional bumping of a bob-tail car, making its weary, mule-drawn way around the loop. Admah Holtz, who had yielded to temptation, put on his Sunday necktie and slipped out of the back door, had been sitting beside Ma Holtz for 20 minutes, as mortals judge the time. But him it had been an era of emotions, incalculably by clocks, for he was enjoying the first sweets of that distemper which is forever interfering with efficiency.

(To be continued.)

Today's Winning Puzzle

The puzzle printed below wins the prize of \$10 offered daily by the Post-Dispatch for the most original cross word enigma submitted to this paper. It was contributed by J. C. Ryan, 4542 Forest Park boulevard, St. Louis. The solution of this puzzle will be printed tomorrow.

Mr. Ryan has made an interesting combination of Nos. 17, 24 and 29 horizontal, and Nos. 11, 38 and 48 vertical. Brush up on your political history and dig for the solution.

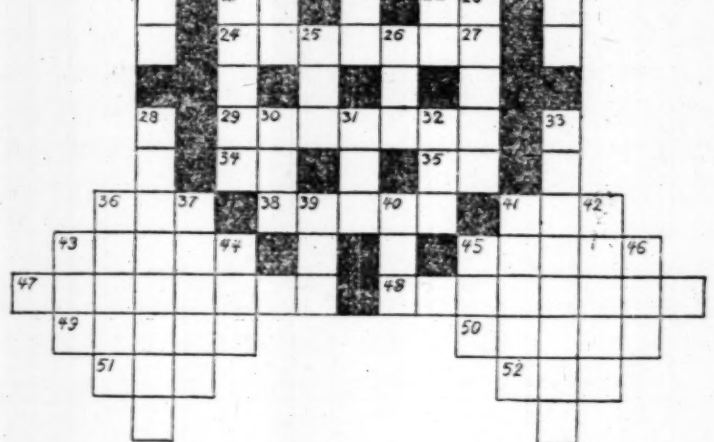
Each number in the puzzle indicates the position of the first letter of a word.

Each word reads from left to right (horizontal) or downward (vertical), according to position. Lettered in correctly, words that cross will interlock.

Each number in the white squares also refers to a definition in the accompanying table.

Each definition suggests a word possessing the exact number of letters to fill the white space allotted to it.

Each white space is to receive one letter only. Words start only in numbered squares.



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| HORIZONTAL | VERTICAL |
| 1. Final. | 13. 1901. |
| 2. Received (abbr.) | 17. The Lord (abbr.) |
| 3. Proportion. | 18. A book (abbr.) |
| 4. Directed. | 19. Put on. |
| 5. A State office. | 20. Society Register. |
| 6. One of the United States. | 21. Prefix meaning down from. |
| 7. Combine. | 22. Common Yiddish. |
| 8. Religious parties. | 23. Middle name of 17 horizontal. |
| 9. To expire. | 24. Family name of 17 horizontal. |
| 10. Given name of prominent St. Louisan. | 25. A book (abbr.) |
| 11. Society Register. | 26. Electric light. |
| 12. Dept. of Federal Govt. | 27. One of the United States. |
| 13. Member of political party. | 28. Same as 7 vertical. |
| 14. Type of roof. | 29. Same as 7 vertical. |
| 15. Funeral march. | 30. Physicians (abbr.) |
| 16. Gets up. | 31. Girl's name (abbr.) |
| 17. Town in North Africa. | 32. Termination indicating comparative degree. |
| 18. Romans (abbr.) | 33. Officer. |
| 19. Single. | 34. Emblem of authority (Latin). |
| 20. Beat of burden. | 35. To hold back. |
| 21. Physicians (abbr.) | 36. Affirmative. |
| 22. Girl's name (abbr.) | 37. Peculiar. |
| 23. One of the United States. | 38. An Indian pole. |
| 24. Family name of 17 horizontal. | 39. Feminine (abbr.) |
| 25. A book (abbr.) | 40. The German. |
| 26. Electric light. | 41. Skill. |
| 27. One of the United States. | 42. Napoleon's marshals. |
| 28. Same as 7 vertical. | 43. Emergency call. |
| 29. Same as 7 vertical. | |

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PRIZES FOR CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

The Post-Dispatch will offer a daily prize of ten dollars (\$10) for the most original cross-word puzzle submitted by a reader of this paper.

—Rules—

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- The design shall be symmetrical.
- The pattern shall interlock all over.
- Obsolete and dialectic words may be used if plainly marked and accessible in any standard dictionary.
- Abbreviated and foreign words may be used if plainly marked.
- Puzzles must be submitted by mail to Cross-Word Puzzle Editor, Post-Dispatch, 12th and Olive streets, St. Louis, Mo.
- All puzzles must be accompanied by the name and address of the sender. No puzzles will be returned.
- The puzzle pattern, plainly numbered and drawn, must be submitted on one sheet of paper. The correct solution, with definitions of horizontal and vertical words, must be written on a separate sheet.
- The winning puzzle will be printed each day on the Women's Page, accompanied by the name and address of the contributor. Solutions will be published each day following.
- The contest is open to everyone, excepting employees of the Post-Dispatch and members of their families.
- Puzzle pattern used in announcement of contest is not acceptable.

Deviled Lobster in Blankets.
Boil and take the meat from two good sized lobsters, or two large cans of lobster, and after removing all shell, chop the meat fairly fine. Add to the meat a heaping tablespoonful of washed capers, a tablespoonful of finely minced red pepper and white celery leaves. Make a cupful of rich cream sauce

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Vegetable soup.
Peanut butter sandwiches.
Chocolate éclair.
Coffee, tea, milk.

DINNER.
Breaded round steak.
Hashed browned potatoes.
Onions au gratin.
Pear-cheese salad.
Fig pudding.
Coffee, tea, milk.

BREADED ROUND STEAK.
Cut pieces of round steak in size desired for serving individually, dip in beaten egg, then cracker crumbs, and fry in half butter and half lard. This can be cooked in about 20 minutes. Steak may be pounded unless very tender piece of meat.

ONIONS AU GRATIN.
Peel and slice several Spanish onions, cutting into very thin slices. Put them into greased baking dish, adding a layer of bread-crumbs, salt and pepper seasoned, then another layer of onions. Cover with more bread-crumbs and seasoning. Continue these layers until dish is full, but leaving the top layer one of crumbs. Put dabs of butter over top and bake in moderate oven for one and one-half hours, or until the onions are soft and brown. Sprinkle with two ozs. grated cheese and return to oven to brown. Serve in baking dish.

Philosophical Phrasings

The dexterous management of terms, and being able to fend with them, passes for a great part of learning, but it is learning distinct from knowledge.

When the mind has brought itself to attention, it will be able to cope with difficulties and master them, and then it may go on smoothly.

The general idea of cause is that without which another called the effect, cannot be. The final cause is that for the sake of which anything is done.

That Christmas Shopping.

Do it early in the season because you get better service from experienced salespeople; there is a better assortment of unhandled stock to select from; you will be sure of prompt delivery and you will be doing your bit in helping the merchants to maintain good service throughout this most trying period of the year.

Do it systematically because you will save time. Have your shopping list prepared and have those articles to be found at the same counter or floor listed in separate groups. Your address typewritten on slips of paper and handed to the clerks will save time on C. O. D. orders. Transfer cards are a great convenience and will not only facilitate your shopping, but make it more convenient as there will be no parcels to bother with until you leave the shop, and then you will have them in one package.

American Girls to Be Mann



One French costume shop at least will display its wares in this summer on American models, for positions as mannequins in Paris.

Three-Minute Journey Temple Manning

Where a Northern City Is Built Like Venice.

STOCKHOLM, the capital of Sweden, is a city built upon a group of small islands in the mouth of a small river connecting Lake Maelar with the Baltic Sea. The name means "island in a sound" and its curious structure has caused it to be called the "Venice of the North." The islands are connected by many historic bridges which span the river and the numerous canals. Some of these date back to the fifteenth century by the great Swedish King, Gustave Vasa, who also constructed the canal system of Sweden.

A tourist on a visit to this place is immediately impressed by the splendid quays which line the river banks and which are used as stations for loading and unloading passengers, from the small steam launches, and ships that ply their way around the lakes and rivers of that beautiful and rugged country. Fishing smacks lying at anchor in midstream, and small steamers carrying passengers on sightseeing tours from one small town to another, are common sights.

On the way up the lake, the lake one sees many beautiful museums and churches of special interest. This fantastic cathedral is of medieval design, and has a spire which reaches 100 feet into the air. All the Swedish Kings, from time of Gustavus Adolphus till the present day, are buried beneath it. The cathedral contains historical relics.

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DOUBLE PAGE FOR WOMEN

LOUIS POST-DISPATCH DECEMBER 5, 1924.

Can Girls Be Mannequins in Paris



Shop at least will display its wares to this summer on American models, for these girls sailed from New York last week to take in Paris.

Minute Journey

By E. Manning

City Is Built Like Venice

To take a trip on one of the excursion boats is an experience. From the boat you may see the city from a new angle. The boats are small, and the water is so narrow that the boats seem to be part of the city. The city is built on islands, and the water is so narrow that the boats seem to be part of the city. The city is built on islands, and the water is so narrow that the boats seem to be part of the city.

Contentment

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NOTES ABOUT WOMEN

Mrs. Poonen Lokose, a Syrian Christian doctor, is India's first woman legislator.

London's force of policewomen has recently been reduced to 20 for reasons of economy.

Mrs. James P. Donahue, one of the two daughters of the late Frank W. Woolworth, is believed to be the richest woman in America. Her fortune is estimated at \$85,000,000.

During the World War 250,000 women were in the military service with the British army, while more than 90,000 women served with the United States army overseas.

Mme. M. Beaujean, Belgium's first and only woman taxi driver, has received more than 100 proposals of marriage since she started chauffeuring a year ago in Brussels.

A notch in the wedding ring to indicate a divorce is the latest fad among some English divorcees.

Seventeen denominations were represented at the recent convention in Chicago of the Association of Women Preachers.

Mrs. Alina Spreckles of San Francisco has donated at \$2,000,000 Legion of Honor Palace as a dedication to the World War dead.

Toronto, Canada, has more than 8000 women employed in the needle trades at an average weekly wage of \$14.80.



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HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

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Gradually unwind the window shades, wiping carefully on both sides with a clean cloth. If this is done occasionally no special cleaning will be necessary.

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Every Woman Should Know
T HAT if she cuts the thumbs out of her old gloves and wears one of these over her big toe that exasperating hole in the stocking will be prevented.

That turning a new glove inside out and sticking court plaster across the finger tips will prevent the fingernails from cutting through the glove.

That it will be economy to make the lavender water herself. Just take a cup of rectified spirits and add two drams of essential oil of lavender and five drops of attar of rose. Shake thoroughly and keep in a well-covered bottle.

That she can dry-clean the brush and comb which may be injured by water if she sprinkles a handful of corn meal on the bristles of the brush and runs the comb back and forth through the brush until both are clean.

He trespasses against his duty who sleeps when on watch, as well as he who goes over to the enemy.

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Children's Stories :: Household Hints

-o- Children's Bedtime Story -o-

By Thornton W. Burgess

The Feather Is Found

*Never think a thing too small to heed;
The pine springs from a tiny seed.*
—Old Mother Nature.

FARMER BROWN'S BOY had a guilty feeling as he hurried home from the Old Pasture, carrying a bag of feathers. They were the speckled feathers he had found near the home of Reddy Fox. He was taking them home to burn, so that if the hunters should visit the Old Pasture there would be no feathers to tell them that Reddy Fox or Mrs. Reddy had stolen chickens. He felt guilty because in a way he was trying to protect a thief. He was trying to protect one who had been in mischief.

"I am glad I did it anyway," said he to himself when the feathers had been disposed of. "If they find Reddy's home and don't know for sure he is the Fox who stole the chickens, they may leave his home alone. But if they knew him to be the thief, they would try to smoke him out or dig him out or else smother him in his hole. So I'm glad they won't find any feathers there."

Now, the farm where Reddy had stolen the chickens was a long distance from the Old Pasture. The hunting dogs, with Bowser the Hound in the lead, had been sent to hunt for the trail of the thief, much of the scent had disappeared. Working slowly and patiently, Bowser's wonderful nose picked up a bit of scent here and a bit of scent there. Each time he would lift his head and bay. The other dogs would rush over to him, and as they caught the scent they would bay. The younger dogs would race ahead, following that scent until they

until they knew that a Fox was running ahead of the dogs.

Now, Bowser knew where Reddy's home was in the Old Pasture. As soon as he reached the edge of the Old Pasture he wasted no more time trying to pick up Reddy's trail. Instead, he went straight to the home of Reddy and Mrs. Reddy. His nose told him that Reddy and Mrs. Reddy had gone in and had not come out of that doorway. He began to bark. The other dogs joined him, and all barked. Such a racket as they made!

The hunters knew what it meant and came hurrying up. "They've found a Fox den," said one. "It may not be the Fox that stole those chickens, but the chances are that it is."

The farmer whose chickens



"They've found a fox den," said one.

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Reddy had stolen came up and looked about carefully. He caught sight of a little feather on a bush near the entrance. He picked it up and held it out. It was a speckled feather! "This settles it," said he. "This is the home of the Fox who has been stealing my chickens. From the way these dogs act that Fox is probably down inside there. We'll smoke him out. It is useless to try to dig him out, because the ground is too rocky. But I think we can smoke him out."

To this the others agreed, and they prepared to smoke out Reddy.

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J. N. Biscoe, 633 Loughborough.
A. Boguski, 3147 Olive.
B. P. Brinker, 4535 Tennessee.
H. J. Brune, 4535 Gravois.
C. Burhoff, 4028 N. Broadway.
F. W. Chamberlain, 729 N. Spring.
D. J. Cirkal, 4539 Gravois.
O. Danforth, 2523 S. 9th St.
Frank M. Danner, 2234 Cass Av.
A. E. Debeck, 2101 Lynch St.
Geo. H. Dwyer, 3901 Indiana St.
Chas. Daubensick, 1490 Angell.
A. Beckert, 1239 S. 12th St.
James P. Donovan, 1723 39th St.
W. Frankman, 1005 McCauland.
Fehrenbach & Son, Newstead & Gibson.
John Finken, 3042 Parnell.
Phil Fisher, 2605 Butler.
Pierrel Bros., 4328 Clayton.
D. L. Fortner, 4209 Shaw.
E. H. Frillman, 3458 Humphrey.
A. Godel, 5423 Gravois.
Goldberg & Market, 4200 W. Park St.
Walter Gary, 2801 Lemay.
Wm. J. P. Hiler, St. Charles, Mo.
Joe House, 4207 N. 20th St.
Val. Hauke, 2719 Lafayette.
A. Heckenroper, 4127 W. Florissant.
Wm. A. Herman, 3700 S. Jefferson.
A. Hendrich, 3335 Mercantile.
H. B. Hoer, 1828 Cass Av.
A. Huelskamp, 414 & 100 Lemay Ferry.
J. E. Horst, Kirkwood, Mo.
J. W. Hurst & Son, Marion & Minerva.
Cesar E. Jost, 801 Elmberghurst.
F. J. Kaufman, 4389 Marcus.
Wm. C. Koster, 3734 Wyoming.
T. J. Lehmkuhl, 2301 Hickory.
O. F. Lemken, 3708 W. Walton.
D. C. Lerche, 6503 Manchester Av.
J. W. Lindhoff, 2700 Ladue.
Legrand's Market, 2325 N. 15th St.
Lunkenbill & Glitz, 3808 Polson.
P. McDonough, 3135 Parker Av.
Fred Marty, 4501 Virginia.
B. Meyer, 3228 Park Ave.
Mutual Market, 519 N. Champlin.
E. Maguire, 11th and Ann.
Dave Noonan, 236 and Madison.
F. Oels, 4125 N. Newstead.
G. E. Odell, 2013 Franklin.
Padberg Merc. Co., 3601 S. Broadway.
Albert Pajenbury, 2701 Cook Av.
J. P. Petersen, 1117 N. Euclid.
A. M. Rucke, 3073 N. Jefferson.
Joe Russell, 2108 S. Broadway.
Sanders' Market, 4351 Manchester Av.
Geo. Satter, 5001 S. Vinlandway.
Geo. Reiser, 811 S. Vandeventer.
A. Shanks, 4503 Blair.
Joseph Scheller, 2501 Cherokee.
J. B. Schumacher, 925 Geyer Av.
A. Shaeffer, 2401 N. T. Viller Av.
J. P. Smith, 4601 Natural Bridge.
T. H. Sonnenknecht, 1208 N. 20th St.
W. H. Surkan, 6718 Park Ave.
Stahl Bros., 2715 Market.
Leo J. Stein, 1900 Russell.
E. G. Strupish, 2658 St. Vincent.
Fred Ruck, 1501 S. 14th St.
J. Tullman, 3259 Michigan.
Herman Uffels, 4244 Mercantile.
Al. Veltman, 1809 S. 15th St.
Virginia Market, 3726 Gravois.
W. G. Wachterlin, Broadway and Hickory.
Herb. Watson, 3463 Itasca.
Mr. Wilson, 1719 and Victor.
Thomas Zwickel, 3430 Itasca.
Brennan Bros., 4470 Arco Av.
Sam Byles, 4505 St. Louis Av.
Edw. M. Ryan, 2601 Newstead Av.
H. L. Farnard, 2601 Newstead Av.
Mrs. Dora Colman, 3454 N. Grand.
W. E. Pabst, 7173 Vandeventer Av.
P. L. Gresham, 3729 Missouri.
Wm. P. Niederle, 1901 Montgomery.
L. P. Du Cernoy, 5043 Manchester.
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Three hundred pioneer St. Louis Grocers, friends of yours, neighbors of yours, have established their own wholesale house to give you the many advantages group-buying brings. They serve you as only the individual grocer can—and they help you save.

A-G STORES

Buy Groceries and Meats where you see this sign.

Sincere Personal Service
Delivery service, telephone ordering and credit facilities have made neighborhood individual grocers an integral part of the lives of their patrons. Note the splendid service, and saving, too, when you buy where you see the A-G sign on the window. Go there or telephone your order.

LOWER PRICES
Buying as one large unit all at the same time gives extraordinary price advantages to the neighborhood grocer who is a member of the St. Louis Retail Grocers' Association. A-G Stores buy from their own wholesale house—The Associated Grocer Company. There's an A-G store in your neighborhood.

Look up the nearest A-G Store on the list shown here. Order from the goods shown below—consider their quality and price. Test the nearest A-G Store in the morning.

Libby's Rosedale Peaches, big can, in heavy syrup, 27c per can, 3 cans for 79c

Libby's Fruit Salad, finest packed, No. 2 can, 33c

Tender White Mallard or Advance Brand Asparagus, the finest that grows. Medium-sized can, 25c

Libby's Plum Pudding, 2 lb. can, 40c

Sun Maid Raisins, Seeded and Seedless, 15-oz. pkg., 13c

Fancy Scottish Chief Early Peas, No. 2 Can, 2 Cans, 25c

Solid packed red ripe No. 3 Scottish Chief Brand Tomatoes, 2 cans, 35c

MAMMA'S Pan Cake Flour, per pkg., 12c
(A full line of meats, fruits and vegetables carried at all A-G Stores)

"When the end of the month comes 'round,
The time when your pockets with bills abound,
You'll find you paid less and you got much more
By doing your trading at the A-G Store."

The Man on the Sandbox

by L. Adams

RADIOGRAPHY.
I SHOT a photo in the air. It quickly traveled everywhere. By aerial propulsion. The gods upon Olympus laughed. To see my features radiographed. And nearly had convulsions.

Then, wafted by a favoring breeze, It traveled over many seas, And made the fishes giggle. It went from Greenland's icy land To India's well-known coral strand And made the serpents wriggle. Through space above the clouds it swept, At sight of which the angels wept. Into their pocket hankies. In fact around the world it sped And thousands looked at it and said: "You cannot beat those Yankee!"

But, photographs by radio. Has filled my life with grief and woe. And sadly I regret it; For, many a former friend of mine Has wrecked his super-hydrophone While tuning in to get it.

TOO TRUE.
Instead of giving him an ethereal look the radiograph made the Prince of Wales look like something the cat brought in.

However, let us not take snap-judgment on a snap-shot. It will be only a matter of time until they are sending radiographs that are big as life and twice as natural as the feller says.

It's a long way to Tipperary but the radio makes it nothing flat. "Prosperity Ahead, Express Company President Says." Quite so, but it is so far ahead that we can't see it.

See where the police will use seized moonshine in auto radiators. We look for an epidemic of auto-intoxication.

However, it is better to have the booze in the radiator than in the chauffeur.

In the Sixty-ninth Congress there will be 319 dry votes in the House, 111 wet votes and 5 which it is impossible to classify with certainty. Why not ask the 5 to have a drink and find out where they stand?

The unclassified five hold a strategic point as they will be much sought after by both sides albeit the drys have practically nothing to offer them.

Henry L. Dawes has resigned his post of Comptroller of the Currency, a position once held by his brother, Charley. Bewish the thought that our currency should remain uncontrolled for the lack of Dawes's.

President Coolidge is entertaining the Republicans at breakfast in groups of 13 and will continue to do so until all the Republican Senators have been fed.

After which, the Autocrat of the Breakfast Table might slip a few broken virtals out the back door to the hungry Democratic Senators.

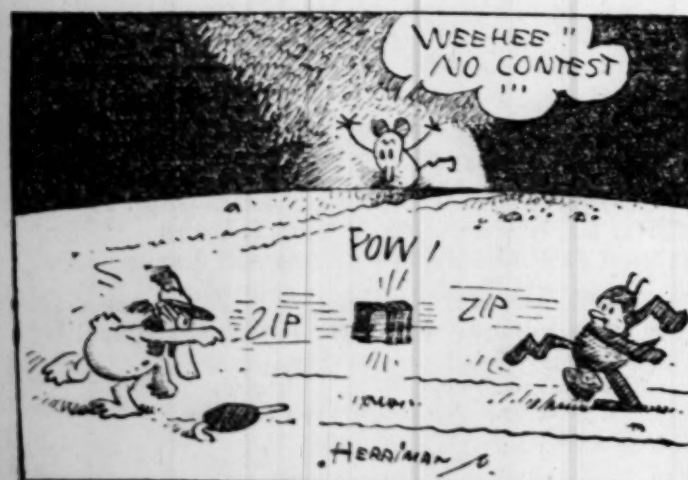
Cal's past experience has probably taught him that the way to a Senator's heart is through the stomach. Hence the griddle cakes, sausage, hominy, fried potatoes and hot coffee.

Although Cal recklessly gave away his sap bucket we take it he manages to rustle the maple syrup for the griddle cakes.

KRAZY KAT—By HERRIMAN

SAY YOU, WHAT'S THIS IDEA YOU'VE GOT LATELY OF ACCENTUATING THE FACT THAT I'M A WIDOW—DO YOU DOUBT MY WIDOWHOOD, FOOL? IF SO, I'LL HAVE YOU UNDERSTAND THAT MR. KWAKK WAKK HAS BEEN TAKING HIS LAST REST FOR MANY MONTHS. PEACE TO HIS ASHES.

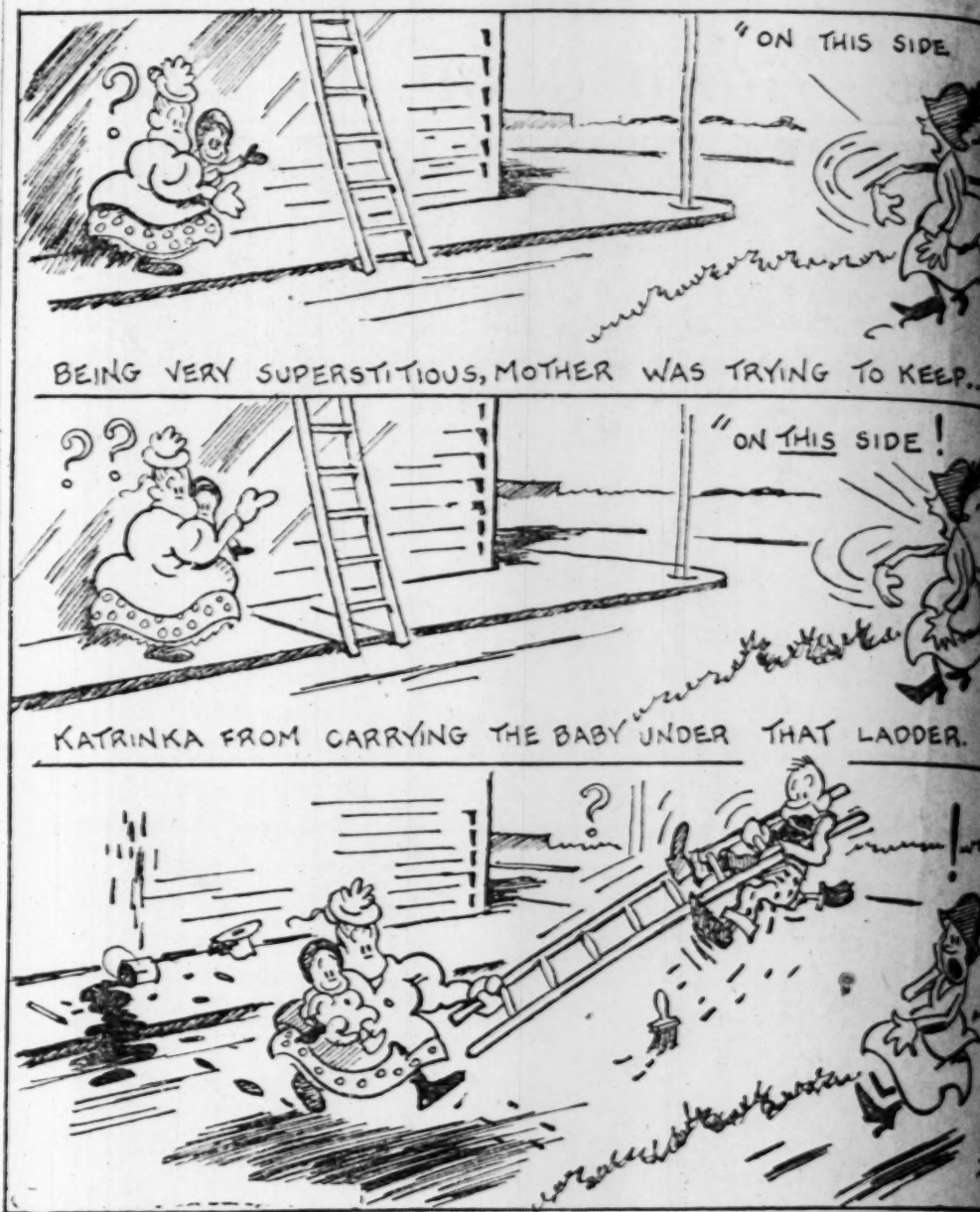
IS THAT SO?



CAN YOU BEAT IT?—By MAURICE KETTEN



THE POWERFUL KATRINKA—By FONTAINE FOX



MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF HAS TEA WITH A DEAR FRIEND OF SIR SIDNEY'S—By BUD FISHER



LOOKING AHEAD TO CHRISTMAS—By RUBE GOLDBERG



BRINGING UP FATHER—By GEORGE McMANUS



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CITY TO FOLLOW LOS ANGELES IN PLAZA PROCEDURE

St. Louis Chapter of Architects Chooses Eight Members by Secret Ballot to Draw Plan.

FEE FOR DESIGN TO BE ONE DOLLAR

Designs for Buildings to Be Paid for on Regular Scale and Fees to Go to Association.

Following publication in the news and editorial columns of the Post-Dispatch this week, of the plan adopted by the City of Los Angeles and the Allied Architects' Association of that city, whereby the architects contracted to design the municipal center for a fee of \$1, it became known today that the St. Louis City administration has sought and obtained the co-operation of the members of the St. Louis Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, to carry out a similar plan in plaza designing.

Specifically, the St. Louis chapter was asked to institute, and has carried out, a secret ballot to name eight St. Louis architects to serve as a commission to design the plaza plan and the buildings to be erected upon it, under the plan adopted by the City of Los Angeles. The ballots, circulated among the chapter's 52 members and asking for nominations both within and without the chapter, were opened Wednesday afternoon at the office of William B. Itiner, architect, Board of Education building. The eight names receiving the highest number of votes were certified to the City Hall.

William A. Hirsch, president of the St. Louis chapter, and Louis Baume, chairman of the chapter's Civic Improvements Committee, related to a Post-Dispatch reporter today that the request for the formation of a commission of St. Louis architects to design the plaza was made by a high city official, and that the request was referred to the committee, headed by La Baume, which reported back to the chapter Friday, a week ago. Report was adopted unanimously.

The report, which sought "the best method of securing high standards of architectural design for all features pertaining to the Memorial Plaza and other items in the new bond issue," was adopted unanimously. It follows, in part:

"This committee has devoted much time and thought to this, the most important architectural project in the city's history. Citizens of St. Louis, as well as others throughout the country to whom the news of our bond issue program has spread, will expect this monumental civic center to represent our best professional study, and reflect the skill of our most efficient members.

"The choice of architects to whom this work will be delegated is a matter of high importance not only to the city administration charged with the expenditure of the people's money, but to every taxpayer as well. It is the mature judgment of this committee that the city's interest will be best served by the appointment of a commission to consist of eight architects to supervise the design and execution of the memorial plaza and the various buildings such as the memorial itself, the new courts building, the municipal auditorium, and any others that may later be embraced in the general plan.

"The commission should establish the general character of the buildings abutting on or adjacent to the plaza, and its decision in all matters relating to the final effect should have the weight of authority. Therefore, be maintained during the entire period of the realization of the design. The duties of the commission should not only be to the designing and harmonizing of the separate buildings in the group, but should embrace all details of parking, planting, lighting, sculptural or other monumental features, all of which are as important, if not more so, than that of the buildings themselves.

"That this commission should be chosen on the basis of fitness alone is obvious, and we, therefore, recommend that the St. Louis Chapter of the American Institute of Architects make specific nomination to the proper municipal authorities for their help and guidance. We believe that the St. Louis chapter is best qualified to estimate the character and attainments of

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